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BONDS ARE AUTHORIZED BY THIRTY-THREE VOTES

More Than Two-Thirds of Registered Votes Polled For Them.

PASSAGE OF THE BONDS MEANS MUCH FOR CITY

Trunk Sewers Will Be Extended to City Limits, Water Works System Improved, School Faculties Increased, Engine House Built.

HOW THE VOTE STOOD.

Ward.	Registration.	Votes Needed.	Votes Cast	For Bonds
First	333	215	216	215
Second	592	395	398	394
Third	507	338	308	302
Fourth	391	261	263	262
Fifth	379	253	268	264
Sixth	573	382	449	447
Seventh	144	96	99	99
Totals	2,909	1,940	1,991	1,973

The figures listed under the head of "votes needed" represents two-thirds of the registration in each ward, and therefore by subtracting the number of votes needed to authorize the issues from the number of votes cast in favor of the bonds it is noted that thirty-three more votes than were necessary were cast in favor of the two issues.

The table does not show the complete situation. The water bonds received only 46 votes in the sixth ward, and therefore the water bonds carried by only thirty-two votes.

The differences between the votes cast and the votes for the bonds in each of the wards represent the numbers who voted against the bonds. As all who did not vote, however, voted against the bonds the list is not shown.

The registered voters of Atlanta have authorized the issuance of $400,000 of bonds for the extension and improvement of the sewer system and for the improvement and better equipment of the water works system.

Thirty-two votes more than was necessary were cast in favor of the water bonds; thirty-three votes more than were necessary were cast in favor of the sewer bonds.

The municipality will immediately proceed to issue $250,000 of bonds for the extension of the trunk sewers to the city limits, and $150,000 of bonds for the improvement of the water works system.

Because of the agreement that was made with other departments this means more than these improvements for Atlanta. Money heretofore apportioned to the sewer department for the extension of the sewers and to the water works department for the laying of mains and the purchase of a reservoir site, will be reapportioned upon the June apportionment sheet of council's finance committee. The department of schools will be given money with which to erect a new school house in the third ward and for additions to the West End school. The fire department will be given money for a new fire house in the third ward and for a water tower and perhaps for a new engine.

The passage of the bonds, therefore, means more than the extension of the sewer and water systems.

Hard Fight Was Made.

Some of the hardest work that has ever been done at the polls of Atlanta was done yesterday by the enthusiastic supporters of the bonds. Especially active during the entire day was Councilman Courtland S. Winn, chairman of the sewer committee of council, who so fully realized the dire necessity for sewer bonds that he was particularly energetic and gave his entire influence to the issues.

Chairman Tom Goodwin, of the third ward campaign committee, was another especially active worker. He was very regretful when he ascertained that the third had failed to carry bonds by thirty-six votes, although it was by no fault of his.

Hamilton Douglas, president of the school board; Park Woodward, general manager of the water works system; Secretary Dimmock, of the water department; Charles T. Hopkins, Luther Z. Rosser, Harry Schlesinger, Fire Chief W. R. Joyner, City Engineer Clayton, City Clerk Campbell, W. L. Peel, Dr. A. L. Curtis, Dr. G. Y. Pierce, Albert Thomson, Councilman Turner and a half hundred more influential citizens whose names are well known to every one were at the polls all day and did everything in their power for the bonds.

For the fire department every one connected with the city government has the most unbounded praise because of the action of its members on yesterday. Reference was made several times to the fact that the firemen had recently made up a particularly large subscription list for the Presbyterian university.

It developed that every member of the fire department had registered, and early yesterday morning they all voted for the bonds. It is probably the only department in the city that voted from the chief down to the humblest employee in favor of the bonds. Not a man missed. In addition, there were two firemen specially detailed as workers at each of the polling places. These did excellent service. In the third ward the forage wagon of the fire department was used. This made two trips to the suburbs during the entire day and brought between fifty and sixty registered voters from the cotton factory district alone and voted them for the bonds.

During the afternoon the Atlanta fire department drum and bugle corps paraded the streets with the goats and directed the attention of the citizens to the fact that an election was in progress.

The city officials have always been proud of the drum corps, particularly because of the splendid advertisement it is for Atlanta when it goes away from the city, and after the patriotic performance of yesterday council will, doubt-

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SENATOR HANNA HANDLED WITHOUT GLOVES BY PARRY



SENATOR MARK HANNA.

Indianapolis, April 22.—"Mr. Hanna's rushing to the rescue of organized labor is, when you come to think of it, a somewhat astonishing spectacle," said D. M. Parry today when asked for his opinion as to the attack made upon his labor position by Senator Hanna at the banquet of the Amalgamated Association of Steel Workers at Columbus.

"If every one has enjoyed the speech of the senator as much as I have," continued Mr. Parry, "it certainly cannot be claimed that he has not done his share in contributing to the era of general good feeling. Of course, I have no personal feeling whatever against Mr. Hanna, and I am glad to note that he has none against me, although I must confess that it is with some surprise that I read his declaration that I display ignorance in my report.

"But then a good deal can be forgiven a man who is in the midst of a trying campaign, especially when he has recently been defeated by a candidate like Tom Johnson. Now, if it had been the latter who had taken up the cudgels for labor there would not have been nearly as much humor in the situation.

"Can it be that Mr. Hanna is beginning at this late day to copy after the methods of the mayor of Cleveland, the man whom he has so long tried to defeat? Let's see. In the campaign of 1896 the very men that Mr. Hanna extols as the able leaders of organized labor issued a circular demanding in the name of 'all the wealth producers of the country' the remonetization of silver and because he, as chairman of the national republican committee, did all he could in support of the gold standard, he was lampooned and abused worse perhaps than any man before or since by these very men whose friendship he now so assiduously seeks.

"The genesis of Mr. Hanna from an energetic business man with a labor record not particularly distinguished for leniency into a political leader and finally a United States senator, who is the leading spirit, if not the founder, of the civic federation, is a remarkable instance of what the political bee will make a man do when it gets to buzzing in his bonnet.

Where Will Metamorphosis End?

"Who knows where the metamorphosis of Mr. Hanna will end? Is it possible that he has become a convert to all the leading tenets of trades unionism? It appears that he actually joined the amalgamated union, or whatever it was which he addressed, and his speech would certainly pass as an excellent one to mark an initiation into the order. As a good union man he may yet think it incumbent upon him to look with an indulgent eye upon Bryanism, and I am almost inclined to believe it an opportune time to make the suggestion that he be made the next running mate for Mr. Bryan. Bryan and Hanna—how is that for a ticket?

"Of course I am aware that all this is not argument, but then there was very little argument in Mr. Hanna's speech. He takes up a paper which has met the indorsement of 98 per cent of the manufacturers of the country as being a fair exposition of the socialistic tendency and what Carroll D. Wright calls 'the damnable practices of trades unionism,' and makes what I think the country will hold as a poor attempt to answer it.

Talks Like a Stump Speaker.

"He reads a section from this paper, and then denies it is true, and turns around, after sneering at the writer, and says in the manner of the ordinary stump speaker, 'Boys, isn't that so?' Of course the boys send up an uproarious shout of approval. Then he patted this man on the back, and then that one, called Mr. Shaffer 'brother,' and otherwise conducted himself as the presiding genius of a veritable love feast.

"This method of disposing of one of the most serious questions of the day probably takes with the kind of men that he was addressing, but I cannot help feeling that the rest of the country would have been better satisfied with a more dignified treatment of the labor problem. After the manner of a pettifogging lawyer, he picked out a couple of paragraphs of my report, held them up to ridicule, and then passed on to his own ideas as to joint agreement and the legal responsibilities of labor unions, evading all the main points brought out in my address. If there is anything more in Mr. Hanna's speech I fail to find it.

"What has Mr. Hanna to say about fixing the wages by artificial methods? There is the root of the whole matter. If it is right that one class of workmen should have their wages fixed arbitrarily, then it is only just that the wages of all classes should be fixed in the same manner. I have heard it said that had it not been for Mr. Hanna and his civic federation, the anthracite coal strike would have been settled without the crushing losses that fell upon the consumers of the country.

"If Mr. Hanna is not encouraging chaos in wage relations, what is he doing? I maintain that free industrial conditions are essential to the highest progress and that only under such conditions can the laboring classes hope to receive the highest reward for their toil. I am well aware that the idea I here advance is not popular, but nevertheless it is true, and I believe in standing for the right—come what may.

Insult Was Gratuitious.

"Mr. Hanna went out of his road in apologizing for the National Association of Manufacturers, in 'its bad judgment,' in electing me unanimously as president for a second term. He stated that I managed to slip in because it was the custom of the association to honor each president with two terms. This was a gross misstatement of facts, for the former president filled the office six years. The manufacturers of this country are supposed to have full possession of their faculties and if they had needed the advice of Mr. Hanna as to the election of a president of the association they would probably have called upon him. As they did not, it would seem that they felt that they could struggle along without his assistance.

"Mr. Hanna corralled the manufacturers of the country in the first McKinley campaign, because of the fear of Bryanism. He led them into the McKinley camp because of this fear, but if he thinks he can ring-nose the manufacturers of the country on the labor issue, and lead them into the camp of Gompers and his aggregation, I think he over-estimates his strength and influence very much. The National Association of Manufacturers is not a political organization, and will not be led by any politician."

DRUGGED TODDY KILLS TWO MEN

Poisoned Whiskey Was Given in Order To Accomplish Robbery.

Camden, Ark., April 22.—J. W. Puryear, a printer from Shreveport, and a stationary engineer named Smith, from Fordyce, Ark., are dead, presumably from the effects of whisky which they drank and which is supposed to have been drugged.

Joe Cameron, of Pittsburg, Pa., and J. D. Tremont, of Jackson, Miss., are in jail here, held under suspicion of having given the poisoned drink to the dead men. A coroner's jury is now investigating the case. Smith had quite a sum of money in his possession. Puryear was a union printer and is said to be well known to the newspaper men of Louisiana.

OUTLAW NAILED TO THE CROSS

Horrible Penalty Paid by Chinaman Guilty of Sixty Murders.

Victoria, British Columbia, April 22.—Advices by the steamer Empress of China tell of the crucifixion of a Chinese desperado in Kwang Tung, who confessed to sixty murders. When he confessed it was decided that decapitation was too lenient a punishment and he was crucified. He was nailed by his hands to a wooden cross and placed in a public place as a warning to malefactors. He lingered for three days before he succumbed to his terrible suffering.

Bond Offerings Total $41,672,450.

Washington, April 22.—The bond offerings of 3 and 4 per cent bonds under Secretary Shaw's refunding circular today were $5,028,300, bringing the total to date up to $41,672,450.

SPINDLE BOOM IN SOUTHLAND

Due to "Cheap Labor, Long Hours, Moderate Taxation."

Ex Lieutenant Governor Guild Explains to New England Mill Owners Increase of Cotton Factories in South. Advises Crusade.

Boston, April 22.—In an address of welcome today to the delegates to the annual meeting of the New England Cotton Manufacturers' Association, Lieutenant Governor Curtis Guild, Jr., reviewed the general condition of cotton manufacturing in New England and made comparisons between the industry in that section and in the south. He declared that, in spite of competition, New England held the scepter of cotton manufacture in this country, and called attention to the facts which he said indicate one grave cause of unrest in this particular industry. He quoted figures showing the increase in the number of active cotton spindles in the country from 1890 to 1902 and said it was idle to deny the fact that the rate of increase in the south was much swifter than in New England. He gave further figures showing that the south, in comparison with New England, pays five-eighths as many operatives a little over a third for operating about a third as many spindles and said: "Not proximity to the cotton fields, not climate, but cheap labor, long hours, together with an utter absence of excitement and extreme modification of taxation, explain the growth of the south.

"By the substitution of fine goods for coarse goods in our factories, Massachusetts has managed to put off the day of settlement, even to show an increase, but ultimately the day of settlement must come and we must face and deal with conditions that have reduced the spindles in some of our northern states. Massachusetts, with the shortest time limit and the oldest age limit of any state in the union, has to face the competition of states that limit neither age nor time. The solution of the problem is not in admitting little children in the Massachusetts mills, nor in lengthening the hours in Massachusetts, but here and now to begin the crusade, means that the law in Massachusetts shall be forced by law in all the states.

"Let us not drag Massachusetts down to the level of Alabama; let us lift Alabama to the level of Massachusetts. Let us have uniformity of factory laws throughout the United States. It is idle for Massachusetts to stand alone with wise restrictions when Alabama and South Carolina compete with the toil of infant fingers against the labor of men and women."

Technical Papers.

After President Fish's address a number of papers dealing with the technical and economic side of the cotton manufacturing business were read. The first of these was by Henry G. Kittredge, of Boston, on "The Supply of Cotton for Fine Spinning." He said there is no immediate cause for alarm that there will be a shortage in the supply of long staple cotton for the current demands of manufacturers, but should the demand increase, as it has within the last decade or so, the situation may be alarmingly changed, and the difficulty of securing a supply keenly realized.

The consumption of cotton for fine spinning is confined almost wholly to that raised along the south Atlantic seacoast and in the valley of the Mississippi river of the United States, and in the valley of the Nile, Egypt. What is grown elsewhere, as on the islands of the Pacific ocean and in South America, is either too small in amount to be taken account of, or not suitable for fine spinning, though possibly possessing the necessary length of staple.

To meet a possible deficiency in production of sea island or Egyptian cotton, the most promising region is through the valley of the Mississippi river; but how much this can be deepnded on is a mooted question, and if there or anywhere else the cultivation has to be forced or carried on at an unusual expense, the cost of the product will prevent or discourage its growth. It is well known that excellent cotton can be raised on the bottom lands of many of the rivers of our southern states, but how far it can be extended at a cost that will induce its cultivation and be acceptable to the demands of manufacture is uncertain.

A Commercial Problem.

It is a commercial problem, he said, whether it pays to raise cotton exceeding 1 1-8 to 1 3-4-inch staple, with an average diameter of fibre exceeding one-fifteen-hundredth to one-eighteen-hundredth of an inch. The time may come when it will. At the best, no doubt the supply of these extra and extra fine grades will be always very limited, and as yet they have not been produced anywhere other than the islands of South Carolina. It possibly will be a long time before much of these high grades will be wanted; the sea islands of South Carolina will long and perhaps forever, be the nursery of the sea island or long staple cotton cultivation. Without an occasional renewal of seed from them, the growth of long staple cotton elsewhere declines, whether it be in the interior of Georgia and Florida or in the valley of the Nile.

Other papers were on "Current Theories of Dyeing," by John W. Fries, of Winston-Salem, N. C.; on "Gray Goods for White Lawn Work," by Daniel Moore Bates, Wilmington, Del.; and on the "Continued Development of the Northup Loom," by General W. F. Draper, Hopedale. Descriptive papers were read by Charles J. McPherson, of South Framingham, Mass., on the "New Roller Cotton Gin," and by Clarence J. Messer, of Boston, on "Local Transportation in Mill Economic."

The report of the committee on fire tests of cotton bales—Edward W. Thomas, Charlotte, N. C., and William D. Hartshorne, Lawrence—was also read.

TYPHOID SCOURGES STANFORD

More Cases of Fever Develop at the University.

Stanford University, Cal., April 22.—More cases of typhoid fever developed at the university today. These bring the number of patients living on the campus up to thirty-two. No new cases were reported to the health office at Palo Alto this morning. The number of persons afflicted with the malady in Palo Alto last night had reached sixty-eight, a total of one hundred cases to date.

PLAN CRUSADE TO BANISH IGNORANCE FROM SOUTH



CHANCELLOR WALTER B. HILL
Of Athens, Ga.



DR. LYMAN ABBOTT,
Of Brooklyn, N. Y.

BETTER CHANCE FOR NEGRO IN SOUTH THAN IN NORTH

--Dr. Lyman Abbott.

Richmond, Va., April 22.—Dr. Lyman Abbott today gave an interview on the negro question. He said, among other things:

"I think, in the main, that the relations between the blacks and whites in the south are better than they are in the north; that the doors to industrial relations are more open to the negro in the south than in the north; that if he is industrious, honest and reasonably intelligent he has, on the whole, a better chance in the south than in the north, and, to put the whole thing in a few sentences, if I were a negro I would rather live in a southern than a northern state.

"I must add the qualification," Dr. Abbott continued, "that probably there are exceptional communities in the south where the negro is subjected to exceptional prejudices and possibly exceptional communities in the north where he would enjoy exceptional privileges."

WIFE OF LEE ON HIS TRAIL

She Goes To Persuade Lieutenant Governor To Return to St. Louis.

St. Louis, April 22.—After a long conference with Circuit Attorney Folk, Mrs. John A. Lee, wife of Lieutenant Governor Lee, has gone to Chicago, supposedly with the intention of persuading her husband to return to St. Louis to testify before the grand jury. It is said that friends pointed out to her that either the lieutenant governor or D. J. Kelly, of New York, would be required as witnesses, and that the advantage would be with the one who first appeared.

Governor Dockery was in St. Louis today to attend the Masonic grand lodge. He refused to discuss the boodle investigation.

Lee Leaves Virginia.

Staunton, Va., April 22.—The report from St. Louis that Lieutenant Governor Lee, of Missouri, whose presence is desired by the grand jury investigating the legislative bribery charges, was in this city reached here today.

An examination of the register of the leading hotel shows that John F. Lee and two ladies were there last Saturday, and remained till Monday noon, then they went to Clifton Forge and took the westbound for Cincinnati. While here Mr. Lee and companions spent their time sightseeing.

Mr. Lee is described as a fine-looking man, about fifty-five years old. He had a sandy moustache and pleasant manner, and said he was a St. Louis lawyer.

DOCUMENT LEFT BY PENNELL

It Will Be Opened in Court at Buffalo Today.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 22.—Attorney Wallace Thayer will open the sealed instructions left with him by the late Arthur R. Pennell. The instructions are supposed to relate to the disposition of $25,000 of life insurance held by Mr. Thayr, by an assignment in trust for Pennell. The document will be produced in court tomorrow. The insurance money, it is believed, is intended for Mrs. Burdick.

SENATOR HANNA IS LADIES' MAN

Says Wife Prevents Him from Employing Women Stenographers.

Columbus, O., April 22.—(Special.)—Senator M. A. Hanna, in his address to the students of the Ohio university this morning, made the statement that he would hire girl stenographers every time in preference to men, and if it were not for his wife would fill his offices with them because, he says, "they are more industrious, more efficient and a good deal safer. Besides, I admire them."

This statement was received with cheers from the students. On the platform with Senator Hanna were Governor Nash and Congressman Grosvenor, and they, too, joined in the outburst of enthusiasm which followed the frank statement of the senator.

The senator addressed the students in the chapel of the college at Convocation and his talk was an informal one, dealing with the advantages of young men and women created by higher education.

SUMMARY OF NEWS

FORECAST.

For Georgia: Fair Thursday; Friday, fair, warmer; light to north to east winds.

Highest temperature	56
Lowest temperature	48
Mean temperature	52
Normal temperature	52
Precipitation for past 24 hours	0
Excess since first of month	33
Excess since January 1	4.98

LOCAL.

Citizens of Atlanta authorize an issue of bonds for water and sewer, the bonds receiving a majority of 33 votes.

C. J. Simmons outlines plans of reorganized Standard Telephone Company.

Robert Gibbons, 7-year-old boy, meets death in odd manner at 417 East Georgia avenue.

Woman's Home Mission Society elects officers and adjourns to meet in Kansas City.

A memorial hospital will be erected in Atlanta by the Woman's Home Mission Society, through the aid of Mrs. McEachern.

Monroe Adams, a negro, sentenced to hang yesterday, was respited after all preparation for the execution had been completed.

GEORGIA.

Oscar Cicero, a negro, convicted of murder at Camilla, and sentenced to be hanged on the 12th of next June.

Application for bond for Mrs. Griffin and Sam Knowles heard at Clinton. Bond fixed at $2,000 each. Bondsmen have not yet been secured.

Fire at Marchman destroys the old dry kiln of The Dasher Lumber Company, and damaged several hundred feet of the tracks of the South Georgia railway.

Latest reports are that Williford, the escaped convict who murdered West, at Camilla, last Monday has been located near Doerun. A posse is in pursuit of him.

Monroe Adams, murderer, at Americus, respited by the governor. News reached Adams while he was putting on his shroud and he would have been executed half an hour later.

SOUTHERN.

Three lives lost by the explosion of the boiler of a sawmill near Bethania, N. C.

Berry Goings kills Pink Davis during a difficulty between them near Piedmont, Ala.

Delegates from many southern states are at the educational conference at Richmond, Va.

The military department of the University of Alabama will probably be abolished.

E. J. Kennedy, of Greensboro, N. C., makes complaint at Roanoke, Va., that he was robbed of $1,761, and a ticket from Winston, N. C., to Denver, Colo.

Governor Heyward, of South Carolina, has suspended the officers who entered a private residence in Charleston in search of contraband liquor.

Damage to the battle ship Iowa at Pensacola, Fla., not so serious as was first reported. The vessel will be able to leave with the squadron today.

Robert Hill, a young man in Campbell county, Tenn., went to Lafe Chadwell's house to claim his daughter as his bride, when he was killed by Chadwell.

DOMESTIC.

Three street railway lines in Chicago have been placed in hands of receivers owing to a default of interest.

Secretary of the Navy Moody says that the officers indicted in Porto Rico for smuggling are being persecuted.

Speaking to New England cotton manufacturers Lieutenant Governor Guild said the spindle boom in the south is due to "cheap labor, long hours and moderate taxation."

FOREIGN.

The sultan of Morocco has been dethroned by his brother.

In the commons, Mr. Bowles denounced the Morgan shipping trust as piratical.

King Edward will send the Prince of Wales to St. Louis as president of the royal commision at the exposition.

Captain Dreyfus has written a letter to the French war minister, asking that his case be reopened. Dreyfus alleges he was convicted on perjured testimony.

MARKETS.

Few buyers present and purchases of dry goods are for restricted quantities. No weakening in values is apparent.

Cotton contracts opened steady 1 to 4 pounds higher, advanced to a level 5 to 15 points above Tuesday, reacted and closed quiet, 4 to 10 points higher.

Southern Educational Conference Meets in Annual Session at Richmond, Va.

EVERY STATE IN SOUTH IS WELL REPRESENTED

Robert C. Ogden, William H. Baldwin and Other Northern Men Interested in Educational Work in the South Are Present.

By T. W. Reed.

Richmond, Va., April 22.—(Special.)—No man who is interested in the cause of education and who has in his heart an earnest desire for the uplifting of the ignorant in this great republic can fail to appreciate the giant efforts of the southern educational conference which assembled here today in its annual session.

In the capital of the confederacy where, forty years ago, the blue and the gray were fighting on opposing sides, they met today shoulder to shoulder in the same cause. The great heart of the people of Richmond has provided ample hospitality, and the reception accorded the delegates has been most cordial. Governor A. J. Montague, of Virginia, in his address of welcome tonight at the Academy of Music, voiced the sentiments of Virginia in most eloquent terms. There were present fully two thousand of the best people of Richmond at the opening of the meeting.

The annual address of President Robert C. Ogden was a gem, and conveyed to the audience and to the conference the welcome intelligence that during the past year the conference had accomplished great results in all of the southern states.

Every state in the south is well represented, Georgia leading in the list. Among the leading Georgia educators present are Chancellor Walter B. Hill, of the University of Georgia; President E. C. Branson, of the State Normal school; President Lyman Hall, of the Georgia School of Technology; Dr. G. R. Glenn, assistant agent of the Peabody fund; Professor J. S. Stewart, the newly chosen state agent of the University of Georgia, and to Georgians have been assigned most prominent parts on the programme.

President William H. Baldwin, of the General Education Board, has many kind things to say about the progress of the educational development of Georgia, and of the Technological school in particular, in which he is greatly interested. George Foster Peabody greets all the Georgia contingent with a smile, and has many questions to ask concerning the various educational institutes in which he has manifested deep interest.

Tonight a reception was tendered the conference by the faculty of Richmond college.

The programme for the conference will be taken up in earnest tomorrow. It calls for many interesting discussions. There are more than three hundred delegates in attendance. The reports of different committes tomorrow and of the heads of different departments of work will be heard with rare interest, and upon these reports will very largely depend the character and extent of the assistance to be rendered in different southern localities by the General Education Board during the future. The proposed new teachers' college that is to be established by the trustees of the Peabody fund is being discussed in a general way, and it is believed that Georgia stands the best chance of securing it. This conference, of course, has nothing to do with the location of the new college, but there are several influential educators here who will take an active interest in that matter. The largest delegation from any southern city is from Athens, Ga., there being twenty-one Athenians here taking in the conference, and evidently putting in good work for the educational interests of the Classic City.

In the presence of a large and brilliant audience, the conference was formally welcomed to Richmond and Virginia by Governor Montague, at the Academy of Music. The governor's remarks were earnestly commendatory of the objects of the conference.

In response, President Ogden spoke at some length, expressing appreciation of the welcome extended by Virginia, and of its plans for the future. He insisted that the great object in view is the education of all the people, white and black. He spoke of the duty resting on the whole country to remove the blot of illiteracy which disfigures the pages of various sections and pledged the best efforts of the conference to the end of fulfilling this responsibility. He explained that the conference is distinct from the general education board and the southern education board, and that it has no money to distribute. On the conclusion of his address the conference adjourned to attend a reception at Richmond college.

The first session of the conference was held this afternoon. This meeting was for organization and announcements. It was agreed present officers of the conference should hold over through this conference, and the committee on nominations make its report Friday morning.

An invitation was received from Montgomery, Ala., and the University of Alabama, asking that the next meeting of the conference be held in the Alabama capital. It was referred to the executive committee. Invitations from other cities are expected.

The committee to nominate officers for the ensuing year is composed of the following:

Dr. Walter H. Page, of New York; W. H. Baldwin, Jr., of New York; Dr. C. F. Meserve, of North Carolina; Edgar Gardner Murphy, of Alabama, and P. C. Branson, of Georgia.

The programme of the conference includes a visit of the organization in a body to the University of Virginia on Saturday.

THEY MAY EXTEND FIELD OF ORDER

Members of Royal Arcanum Discuss the Question.

Motion to Admit Carolina and Alabama to Membership—Number of Delegates Favor Proposition — Proceedings Yesterday.

By E. C. Bruffey.

Constitution Bureau, 467 Second Street, Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The grand council, Royal Arcanum of Georgia, at its initial session this morning undertook to give a health certificate to Alabama and South Carolina so that those two states might be admitted to membership.

But almost as soon as the suggestion was presented a warm debate was on and before the morning session was completed the health and death rate of Carolina and Alabama was familiar to the delegates—more familiar, in fact, than it is to many residents of either state.

When the Royal Arcanum began invading the south, Alabama, South Carolina, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas were proscribed because they were not considered healthy enough to stand the test laid down by the Royal Arcanum. Time and time again one after another of these states has sought admission, but that admission has invariably been denied the applicant. So far there have been no Royal Arcanum council in any of the states enumerated, notwithstanding the fact that the territory has been well worth working. It was no surprise to many of the delegates this morning when a motion was made to admit Carolina and Alabama and upon the floor there were a number of representatives pledged to support the proposition. Advocates of the measure had equipped themselves with statistical information and it was quickly seen that the health and the death rate in the territory under consideration did not warrant a total exclusion at least. The discussion was at times heated, but the resolution to admit the two states will go from the committee to which it was referred to the supreme council of the order, as it is that body and not the state council which must pass upon the desirability of the Carolina and Alabama population.

When the grand council convened in annual session this morning in the Odd Fellows' hall, on Chery street, there were something over one hundred delegates in attendance.

Deputy Supreme Regent Daniel MacWatt, of Ontario, Canada, alone of all the officers of the supreme council, was in attendance.

Grand Regent Saffold, of Swainsboro, called the grand council of Georgia to order and to the roll call by Grand Secretary R. P. Lester, of Covington, there were responses from Grand Vice Regent John A. Peacock, of Dublin; Grand Orator L. H. Chappell, of Columbus; Grand Past Regent W. H. Edmondson, of Rome; Grand Treasurer E. P. H. Ruland, of Augusta; Grand Guide R. B. Russell, of Winder; Grand Chaplain W. S. Simmons, of Rome; Grand Warden J. M. Mundy, of Jonesboro; Grand Sentry E. H. O'Connor, of Savannah; Grand Trustees P. M. Hawes, of Elberton; A. G. McCurry, of Hartwell, and T. T. Murrah, of Chipley; State Medical Examiner Dr. John C. Olmstead, of Atlanta, and Representative to the Supreme Council John Berkele, of Atlanta.

Growth of the Organization.

Grand Regent Saffold felicitated the Arcanians upon the prosperity and growth of the organization during the past year, as was shown by his annual report. That report, though not given out for publication, contained a complete historical resume of the Royal Arcanum of Georgia since the annual session of 1902. It is said to have been one of the most complete and interesting papers ever submitted by a Georgia regent, and its statistical feature proved particularly attractive. The report was referred to a committee, by which it will be given during the session a thorough and complete examination before it goes to the printer.

The reports of the vice grand regent, Mr. Peacock, and of the state medical examiner, Dr. Olmstead, were presented and read. These papers, too, were a departure from the old line reports in that they presented many features never before handled.

The reports of the deputies and of the standing committees were presented, but were not read. These papers were referred to committees, who will tomorrow return them to the body with their reports.

It was just before the noon adjournment that the proscription upon Alabama and South Carolina was brought before the state council. Deputy Rogers, of Macon, took the initial steps in the plan to admit these two states to Arcanian brotherhood. In supporting the resolution Deputy Rogers showed a thorough and complete study of the health conditions, with the death rate in each of the states. He was supplied with an abundance of statistics showing that the death rate in many of the Alabama and Carolina counties was even less than it is in states which for years have enjoyed the benefits of a Royal Arcanum membership. It is understood that the proposition met with general favor upon the floor of the council and that a number of the delegates strongly advocated admitting Carolina and Alabama. What disposition of the resolution on the floor was made is not known outside the delegates who were present. It is known, however, that the supreme grand council of the organization will have to pass upon the movement to remove the restriction upon these states.

Photographing the Delegates.

Immediately after the noon adjournment Deputy Supreme Regent MacWatt individually, and in a group with the state officers, posed in front of the Brown house for photographs by The Constitution Bureau's special artist, J. L. Kah. All of the visiting delegates were grouped again for another photograph.

Atlanta is represented on the floor of the council by J. S. Panchen, John Berkele, James B. Wallace, J. C. Carlisle and Dr. John C. Olmstead.

The Macon delegation is composed of Charles N. Woodruff, W. R. Herndon and Carl Dohn.

E. H. O'Connor and D. L. Christian are here to look after Savannah's interest.

Augusta is being cared for by C. L. Duval, T. F. Filber, E. P. H. Ruland and James R. Stokes.

Rome has W. H. Edmondson, W. S. Simmons and F. J. Kane on the floor.

L. H. Chappell, M. M. Moore and F. C. Weisiger, of Columbus, are the delegates from that city on the Chattahoochee.

The afternoon session was full of routine work, with some new matters injected, but the import of the new features can not be given with any degree of accuracy. It is known that an effort is being made looking to a change in the laws governing the representation to state councils.

The election of officers will occur tomorrow, and, at least, one interesting contest is anticipated.

Faith in Macon Real Estate.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Calder B. Willingham, one of Macon's leading cotton and financial factors, today attested his faith in the Central City's real estate by buying the Olympia hotel property on Second street. The hotel is located in close proximity to the court house, and is among the best real estate possessions in the city. The purchase was made from Mrs. Mary P. Stanley, and within a short time Mr. Willingham will surrender the house to contractors, who will remodel and improve its appearance. In speaking of the purchase Mr. Willingham said:

"I did not have any need of hotel property in my possessions, but I bought it because I have an absolute faith in the worth of Macon real estate. I have lived here for over thirty years, and I can not recall the time when the people of Macon have been more hopeful and confident than they are today. Discontented people are very few in Macon, while, on the other hand, the people who are pleased, happy and satisfied are here in great numbers. I am inclined to think real estate is about the best thing one can invest in."

Death of Robert Gates.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Robert L. Gates, son of Mrs. W. B. Gates, died at midnight last at the family home, 614 Ocmulgee street. For two years past Mr. Gates has been a victim of consumption, and, notwithstanding the fact that his death was a foregone conclusion, it created some surprise when made known this morning. Mr. Gates is survived by two sisters and three brothers. They are Mrs. R. L. Bowman, of Petersburg, Va., and Miss Julia Gates, of Macon, and Messrs. G. A. Gates, W. H. Gates and A. P. Gates, also of Macon.

Boy Returns To His Home

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Accompanied by a special officer, George Carter, a young white boy left Macon this morning for his home in Jacksonville. Young Carter is about fourteen years of age and the son of one of the leading citizens of the Florida metropolis. A few days ago he ran away from home and late last night was located in this city by Chief Murphy's department, who had been instructed by wire to be on the lookout. Young Carter was well supplied with clothing and money and took his arrest quite philosophically. He declared that he had been driven from his home by the cruelty of his parents and said he would leave again at the earliest opportunity.

Memorial Day in Macon.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Memorial day here will witness one of the strongest turnouts of militia, school cadets and confederate veterans to be seen in the state on that day. The Daughters of the Confederacy have been working zealously for the day and have been ably assisted by Colonel Huguenin of the Second Georgia regiment. In addition to the Macon Volunteers, Captain Hazelhurst commanding, the Floyd Rifles, Captain Starr, and the Macon Hussars, Captain Wheeler, the cadets at the Gordon institute, Barnesville, and at Milledgeville, will be in line. The camps of confederate veterans of Macon will turn out nearly two hundred men. These with the carriages and the young ladies representing the various states of the confederacy, will form an imposing parade.

Revival Services.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The revival services at the First Methodist church are drawing large crowds every evening. The Rev. Dr. S. H. Cummings, of Baltimore, addressed large congregations this afternoon and tonight. The building was packed at the evening service and Dr. Cummings created a profound impression. His subject was "God Save Our Homes," and it was handled in an interesting and entertaining manner.

An Oft Told Tale.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—J. H. Wood, a man with flowing beard of snowy whiteness and hair of the same hue awoke from a Rip Van Winkle slumber before Judge Freeman in police court this morning.

"So much like Rip Van Winkle dost thou look," quoth the recorder, "methinks I am at the Academy gazing upon one Joseph Jefferson. But thou, likest him, hath a tale to unfold, I suppose, so proceed."

Then Wood his tale did unfold. It was an old one Recorder Freeman had often heard. Wood said he reached Macon this morning en route from South Carolina to Tifton, where he intended to bury himself in the backwoods of Georgia. When he reached the city he had his railroad ticket and $35, but now both were gone. Soon after leaving the depot he took on a drink or two and fell in with Howell Durdan, a young white man. Durdan admitted drinking with Wood, and said he had put Wood to bed, but denied getting the money. Judge Freeman lost interest in the case and came back from his faraway look when Durdan had completed his story.

"It's a mighty flimsy case against you, Durdan," said the recorder. "But I guess I'll let you and your companion fight it out in the courts."

Durdan was bound over to the city court for larceny.

Why He Got Drunk.

Macon, Ga., April 22.(Special.)—As he stepped from the prisoner's bench to the judge's stand this morning he began parting the hair from his bald head with his fingers and taking on an innocent look.

"You are charged with being drunk, Mr. Notru," said Judge Freeman to the defendant in police court this morning.

"It's true, your honor," replied the defendant, "that I was drunk last night. And I was good drunk. You see it was just this way. I was on that Southern train yesterday afternoon when it run over a man and it made me sick—awfully sick—and that is why I took the first drink."

"Ah, you're the engineer, I guess," said Judge Freeman, smiling as he began to see his way clear to let the defendant go without a fine.

"No, sir; I was not the engineer," replied Notru.

"Then the conductor," said Judge Freeman, but without that same smile he used when fixing the man on the engine.

"No, I was not the conductor, either," was the reply.

"Then, in the name of God, what were you?" asked the judge. "You were not engineer; neither were you conductor, and yet this dead man made you sick. How did that occur?"

"Well, you see," said the defendant, "I was a passenger on the train and helped to pull him from under the wheels. It made me sick and I took to strong drink. Why do you know, judge, I was so sick I haven't eaten anything yet, and to tell you the truth, I don't think I will ever eat again. Now, that's all there is to it."

Judge Freeman took a glance at the defendant's cadaverous looking face, and it was a glance full of sympathy and feeling.

"It's hard to go hungry," replied the judge. "I hope you will soon regain your appetite for food—not for booze—and I'll let you out with the smallest fine. You can pay two and a half or go where food is so scarce you won't get much of it."

The prisoner paid the fine.

Preparing for Rome.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The Knight Templars of Macon are preparing for a trip to Rome next month to attend the annual convention of that order. The St. Omer commandery is one of the largest and most prosperous in the state, and when the Knight Templars go on parade in the Hill City no commandery will make a better showing than will the one from Macon.

Rehearsing for Musical.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Order of Railway Conductors are now rehearsing for a musicale to be given at their hall on Poplar street Friday night of this week. The Macon auxiliary is one of the youngest in the state, but it has shown itself to be among the most devoted to the Order of Railway Conductors.

Veterans Select Route.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The confederate veterans of the Macon camp have selected the Central of Georgia railway as their route to New Orleans, and will leave here in a handsome special train, composed entirely of Pullmans, a few days before the encampment opens. Colonel Bob Anderson and Colonel Bob Nisbet were delegated by Camp Macon to select the route, and this morning announced their decision. The train will be run from the union depot in Macon to the station in New Orleans without a break in its make-up. Each of the coaches will be bannered, the inscription showing whether or not the car is occupied by veterans, sons of veterans or daughters of veterans. It will be under the direct management of one of the ablest and best representatives of the road.

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SHE NOW SEEKS HABEAS CORPUS

Mrs. Crowder Still After Possession of Child.

Appeals to Judge at Columbus for Writ of Habeas Corpus—Sale of City Lots at Columbus. Preparations for Memorial Day.

Columbus, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The kidnaping case of Eula Crowder, who is charged with the kidnaping of her own little child, and which was to be tried in Justice Hargett's court Thursday afternoon, took another turn today, the Crowder woman applying to Judge Redd, the ordinary, for a writ of habeas corpus to obtain possession of her child. The child is now in possession of its foster mother, Ella Richardson. The case has caused many complications to arise in the courts. Only yesterday the real mother of the child sued out a warrant against the foster mother on a charge of assault and battery. The case was tried in court, but was dismissed. The result of the habeas corpus case will be watched with interest.

Sale of City Lots.

There was a large auction sale of valuable city lots held here today, some twenty-eight lots being knocked down to the highest bidder for cash. The property is situated in the lawer part of the city, near the old exposition grounds, and, with the continued growth of the city, there is no question but that they will increase in value doublefold before the year is out. The auction was held by the Muscogee Real Estate Company.

The Gruzard Supply Company, one of the largest houses of its kind in the state, today filed with the clerk of the superior court a petition for incorporation.

The Lewis bankruptcy case, which has attracted such widespread interest, and which was to have come up for a hearing again today, was postponed until next week on account of the absence of Referee Wilkerson, of Dawson, who is acting in the place of F. U. Garrard, of this district, who is disqualified.

Mr. John Adams, who has held the position of policeman and street overseer in Girard, Ala., for some time, was last night elected marshal of that little city by the city council to succeed the late Marshal Bishop, who was killed a short time ago. Mr. Adams has made a good record as an officer of the law in the position he held, and no doubt he will make Girard a splendid marshal.

The condition of Dr. M. D. Blanchard, who is critically ill at his home in this city, was somewhat better yesterday. Dr. Blanchard is one of Columbus' leading physicians, and has many friends and admirers who are very anxious about his condition.

The committee of gentlemen representing the independent cotton oil manufacturers of the southeast are expected to arrive in the city tonight. They will be met by a committee of citizens appointed by the board of trade. The committee of manufacturers is coming to Columbus to inspect sites for a refinery which is to be established in this part of the south, and Columbus intends to have it, if there is any possible chance. She will offer every inducement.

Preparing for Memorial.

The Columbus Guards, the oldest military organization in the state, has received new uniforms, etc., from the state, the first they have received since 1898. The programme for the memorial exercises next Sunday has been completed, and is very attractive. The exercises will very probably be held in the opera house instead of the First Presbyteran church as at first proposed. The parade promises to be the largest and most imposing ever held in this city on like occasions. There will be four military companies in line besides the old vets, mounted police, uniform rank of Knights of Pythias, and a drum and bugle corps. The mayor and council, ladies of the Memorial Association, etc., will ride in carriages.

HE IS TAKING IN TENNESSEE

Secretary Wilson at Springfield Yesterday, Where He Spoke.

Springfield, Tenn., April 22.—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson arrived here from Glenraven, the country home of Felix Ewing, this morning. He was met at the depot by a committee af leading citizens. A reception lasting forty minutes was tendered the distinguished guest, after which he was shown through the various tobacco ware houses. Secretary Wilson addressed a large number of tobacco raisers of this section. After his speech the secretary and party left for Nashville.

Secretary Wilson and party arrived here at 1 o'clock this afternoon and were at once driven to the Maxwell house, where luncheon was served. After luncheon the secretary and party were taken in charge by Colonel A. N. Shook and driven out to the famous Belle Meade stock farm. Dinner followed at the Country Club. The party will be guests of the Hermitage Club tonight. Tomorrow Secretary Wilson and party will visit the country home of Overton Lea, near this city, where he will inspect the largest herd of Sussex cattle in America. In the afternoon the party will witness the run off of the Cumberland derby at Cumberland park.

Stole Horse and Buggy.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—During the night some one entered E. J. Dyer's stable on Second street, at Oglethorpe, and after harnessing Mr. Dyer's horse, hitched him to the buggy and drove away. The horse and buggy were found this morning in East Macon both in bad condition. The horse showed evidence of a hard drive, while the buggy was almost wrecked. So far the police have found

"SPECKIE" GOES TO CLUB DINNER

German Minister Guest of Honor in New York.

New York, April 22.—Baron Speck von Sternburg, minister envoy of the German empire, was tonight the guest of honor at a dinner tendered him by Edward Uhl and Hermann Ridder, at the Manhattan Club.

Among those present were Senator Chauncey M. Depew, Mayor Low, Lyman J. Gage, Dr. Lewald, imperial German commissioner to the St. Louis exposition; Consul General Karl Buenz, Thomas F. Ryan, John A. McCall, James Stillman, Lewis Cass Ledyard, George G. Ward, V. P. Snyder, John De Witt Warner, Melville E. Stone, Jacob H. Sciff, Gustav H. Schwab, Andrew H. Green, Rudolph Keppler, Reginald Schroeder, Ogden Mills, Frank A. Vanderlip, Robert C. Clowry, James Speyer, Robert H. McCurdy, James H. Hyde and Philip T. Dodge.

At the last moment it was announced that Mr. Uhl was unable to be present because of illness. Mr. Ridder made a brief address proposing the health of the German minister.

When Baron von Sternberg rose to reply the guests all rose and cheered him heartily. He said in part:

"What I want to emphasize tonight is that our two nations, in working out their great problems, which, after all, are bearing us toward the same goal, should use all their power to foster a clearer understanding between their people. This is the surest safegdard against future friction. We both have gone through similar trials in peace and in war, and it is owing to these trials that the great qualities which we possess in common have been fully developed.

"You already understand fifteen millions of us as well as you understand yourselves; they have become your kin. I hope the day will come when you will understand all of us just as well. And right here it may not be amiss, perhaps, to observe that great is the obligation which the press owes to the two countries. With an independent press here and in Germany, is it not due to both our peoples that each should endeavor to understand the other? Is it not worth while for them to strive to attain this end, to withhold the pin pricks and to display a spirit of mutual conciliation; to work together for the larger understanding which the interests of the two nations demand? I leave you to consider the beneficent result that would follow.

"Our future rivalry, be it ever so keen, should never let us forget that our work is directed toward the same object—the perfection of civilization. If we keep this well in mind nothing will mar our peaceful progress."

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THROWS A DAMPER ON BOYS

Chancellor Opposed To Team Being Absent More Than Two Days.

Athens, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—What a large portion of the students of the University of Georgia consider a blow at athletics generally has been dealt by Chancellor Hill. It is understood that he has informed the manager of the Georgia baseball team that he will not approve any schedule for games that will carry the university students on the Georgia team outside of Georgia, or in Georgia, where more than two days will be consumed.

Formerly the schedule of games to be played by the Georgia team has been given out and published before this time in the season, but this year it is understood that Manager Boyd has submitted several schedules to the chancellor for his approval, and yesterday received a reply to the effect that the chancellor would not approve any schedue that would carry the boys out of the state for over two days, at least.

It is understood that the chancellor is fearful that an impression will be created if the past arrangement should continue that the university students spend too much time frolicking. It is well known that he was not an enthusiast on the subject of athletics when he was elected chancellor and at that time, it is generally conceded that athletics at the university were not of as high order as is the case today. In view of the fact that such improvement had been made in the athletics at the university, it was thought that any objection the chancellor might have had at the beginning of his administration had been removed, but it seems that there is still some objection on his part.

Many of the students are of the opinion that athletics are quite essential to the welfare of the university, and practically the entire body is of the opinion that the university has not suffered the past several years by the existence of the baseball and football teams.

Chancellor Hill is out of the city now, in attendance upon the Southern Educational Conference at Richmond, but it is stated that he will not approve any plans the boys might devise that will carry any number of the students out of the state for any length of time.

SAVANNAH BICYCLE RACES

Lawson Wins from Newkirk—Then Butler Defeats Newkirk.

Savannah, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The races at the Coliseum tonight were more successful than those of last night. There were three 5-mile heats and the crowd of 800 people enjoyed the sport. Lawson and Newkirk rode the first heat, Lawson winning in 7:29 in a strong wind. It had been decided that Butler would ride the next heat with the loser of the first heat. He did so, beating Newkirk in a close finish. Lawson and Butler rode the third heat, Butler winning in 7:18. Walthour appeared on the track and will be in shape to ride tomorrow night.

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PLANS OF NEW COMPANY DISCUSSED BY SIMMONS

C. J. SIMMONS, who has taken charge of the old Standard Telephone Company, which will hereafter be known as the Atlanta Telephone and Telegraph Company, under which name it has just been granted a charter in the state of Delaware, yesterday gave out an interview for the first time with regard to the company's plans in maintaining and extending its service.

The property of the company, Mr. Simmons stated, had been sold to the bondholders of the Standard Telephone Company in Philadelphia and other eastern cities, and they requested him to take charge of the plant and operate it. They made him a business proposition which he considered satisfactory, and he decided to take hold of it as soon as the receivership was terminated. A charter has been procured as stated and the new company organized. Mr. Simmons will, at an early date, be made president and general manager of the company, and will have entire control of its management.

"We have just purchased from the Stromberg-Carlson Telephone Manufacturing Company of Chicago," Mr. Simmons said, "one of their very latest and most improved switchboards with an ultimate capacity of 7,200 subscribers. We have also purchased 4,000 telephones from the same people, who have guaranteed that the telephones and switchboards will be as good as any in the United States.

"The company has recently purchased from the East Atlanta Land Company a magnificent building located on Edgewood avenue, Ivy and Courtland streets. The building will be ready to receive the new switchboard within a few days, and it will be installed early in the month of May, and at that time every Standard 'phone in the city of Atlanta will be taken out and replaced with new Stromberg-Carlson 'phones. When that is done the company expects to be able to give to its patrons a better telephone service than they have ever enjoyed and as good service as any company can furnish in the United States.

"It is a well known fact that this company has as good underground conduits and as good poles, wires and cables as any company in the telephone business, and all that is necessary now to make the telephone service equal to that of any other in the world is the installation of the new switchboard and telephones which have been purchased."

Mr. Simmons said that he was practically out of business and that he expected to give this telephone business his personal attention, and he pledges to the people that they shall have a service equal to that furnished by the Rapid Transit Railway Company at the time he was connected with it.

Mr. Simmons was asked what would be the rates of the new company. He stated that the rates would be extremely low; that his company expected to give the most economical and satisfactory service possible to its subscribers.

"As to competition, you know this is a city where the people believe in genuine earnest competition," he said. "They are almost universally opposed to monopoly in anything and especially in public utility service."

MORE EVIDENCE IS LISTENED TO

The Trial of Howard Continues in Frankfort.

Frankfort, Ky., April 22.—In the Howard trial today J. B. Matthews, former republican assistant secretary of state, continued his testimony begun on yesterday.

He told further of the breaking open of Powers' office and seach for the assassin. The search continued no further than that room, and as soon as he and others there learned what had been done, they began preparing to protect themselves. He did not see Howard in the hall and his recollection was that Grant Roberts and Sam Sheppard, clerks in the auditor's office, were the only ones in the hall when he first went out.

He said he had been offered immunity by the prosecution when Powers was on trial if he would testify that he led the assassin into and out of the secretary of state's office.

Sam Sheppard, a clerk, and Grant Roberts, also a clerk, testified that they were the first persons in the hallway after the shooting. Did not see Howard there. After a few minutes went in and saw Powers' office opened.

His Complaint.

May Smart Set: I am a baby, 11 months old, and nearly worn out already. Please let me alone!

I am not a prodigy, except to the extent that, not having anything to say, I don't talk. Two big persons claim to be my parents—why can't they let it go at that? I have never denied the charge. I haven't much data to go by, but I don't think I am either a magician, a learned pig, or a virtuoso. I don't hanker for applause; so, it will be an appreciated favor if you won't put me through any parlor tricks.

If I have my wealthy old Uncle Ezra's nose, congratulate Uncle Ezra, but don't blame me. I may be a kleptomaniac, for all I know, but I can't help it.

Don't rattle rattles at me—they rattle me. Don't goo-goo and ootsie-kootsie at me. I can't undertsand it any better than I can the English language.

The pain I have is not in my stomach, but in my neck. I don't want to be entertained or mystified or medicated or applauded. And, if you don't want me to grow up to be a hypochondriac, a stamp-collector, an awful example, a ping-pong enthusiast, or a misanthrope, you just lemme oe!

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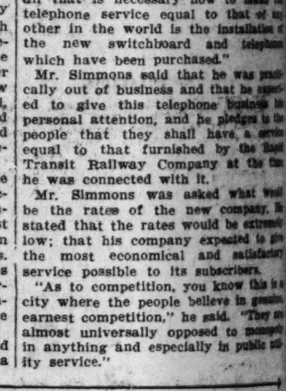
less, do anything that the firemen were done.

Opposition Was Noticed.

Some opposition to the bonds was noticed in the city during the day. One was a banner which stated that a vote for the bonds was equivalent to a vote for convict-made brick. This was displayed with the evident intention of exciting the labor vote against the bonds, but, as member after member of the unions voted it was soon learned that the laboring men of the city were not to be influenced by a statement of that kind.

The Atlanta Equal Suffrage Association was also in evidence, not by persons, but by large cards which were tacked in conspicuous places near each polling place. These contained the information that the tax-paying women of Atlanta should be allowed to vote in the bond election.

The passage of the bonds yesterday will be the cause of much gratification in the city hall. It means more money, not only for sewers and water, but for schools, fire department and the street department. It also means that many of the dry sewers of Atlanta will be put into service and that the work of the sanitary department will be lessened.



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FIRST WORK DONE ON THE BIG PLANT

Brunswick People Witness Ceremonies At The Site.

Colonel Machen and Other Prominent Men Take Part—Mechanical Engineers Arrive Today to Take Charge of the Work.

Brunswick, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Actual work was today begun on the immense $10,000,000 plant of the Mohawk Valley steel and wire plant. Colonel E. C. Machen, fourth vice president of the company, and president of the Brunswick and Birmingham Railway Company, delivered the first blow, followed by Mayor Crovatt and other members of the party.

The scene was one of the most imposing that Brunswick has ever known. Hundreds of business men were present and the movement was given an enthusiasm unbounded in its wholesomeness.

On arriving at the site of the plant Colonel Machen, in a few remarks, stated its object. He said he was here as the representative of the Mohawk people, and that as site conditions had been arranged he was ready, on the part of his representatives, to go to work. Mayor Crovatt, and others present, announced that final details had been closed with reference to the transfer of site property and here it was that Colonel Machen took an ax and began the work of moving the heavy timber and obstructions growing on the site.

Following Colonel Machen, Mayor Crovatt, President Aiken, of the board of trade, and other prominent gentlemen, added their mite with the ax, and in a very short while the mammoth pine which for years has stood as a sentinel to that section had fallen and the work on the great Mohawk plant was in actual operation.

Tonight the town is alive with talk of the steel plant. It is announced that twenty-five or thirty electrical and mechanical engineers will arrive tomorrow morning and they will be put in charge of the work.

President Machen, in an interview tonight, announced that the formal opening of the work will begin April 29 or 30, at which time ex-Senator McLaurin, of South Carolina, first vice president of the company, will be the orator of the occasion. Congressman Brantley, Mayor Crovatt and other prominent citizens will be among the speakers. President Umsted, together with a special party of directors, is expected in the city within the next day or two, and at that time it is expected that more developments will take place.

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SAVANNAH BIDS FOR REUNION

Delegation to New Orleans To Extend Invitation to the Vets.

Savannah, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Savannah wants the next reunion of the Confederate Veterans. When the Savannah vets go to New Orleans next month they will extend an invitation on behalf of this city, and every effort will be made to induce the veterans to decide upon this city as the place for the great reunion of 1904.

McLaw's camp of veterans took the initiative in the movement, unanimously adopting a resolution inviting the reunion to Savannah next year. Interviews with prominent veterans, with Mayor Myers and with President J. H. Estill, of the chamber of commerce, all show a strong sentiment supporting the resolution, and the Savannah veterans at New Orleans will be backed by supplementary invitations when they extend the invitation.

DAVIS IS SLAIN BY GOINGS

Difficulty Between Two Men Near Piedmont, Ala.

Rome, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—News reached the city tonight of the killing, near Piedmont, Ala., of Pink Davis by Berry Goings. The two men had a difficulty, which resulted in Goings drawing a pistol and shooting Davis near the heart, killing him instantly.

It could not be learned what started the trouble between the two men. Davis was a prominent citizen of this city, and was a cousin of Mayor J. D. Hanks, of Rome. The killing took place about 2 o'clock tonight, and was greatly regretted, as Davis had many friends and was well known here.

$100 REWARD; $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Henry Superior Court.

McDonough, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Henry superior court has been in session for the past two days, with Hon. B. D. Evans, judge of the middle circuit, presiding. Many cases of importance have been disposed of, including some cases that have been on the docket for a number of years.

Judge Evans dispatches business rapidly and has made numbers of friends in this county by the able, fearless and impartial manner in which he presides.

Progressing.

Punch: She—How's the motor car getting on, Sir Charles?

He—Well, fact is, I've seen very little of it. You see, I've only had it three months, and when it isn't in the hospital I am.

The Rapidan, $3.00



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Take off that close-curling brim derby and let us replace it with the flat-sit, wide leaf Rapidan.

That's if, you want what's what in a soft Spring felt. But if you've made up your mind on a Knox we won't say a word. Bless you, it's your own affair.

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INVITED THEM TO HIS HANGING

Oscar Cicero, Convicted of Murder and Sentenced To Death.

Camilla, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—In the superior court here today Oscar Cicero, a notorious criminal widely known throughout this section of the state as "Black Diamond," was convicted of the murder of Bud Battle, another negro, and sentenced to be hanged on the 12th of June next.

Cicero has two brothers serving long terms in the penitentiary at present. For a long while, up to a year ago, he was himself an escape from the penitentiary and it was while evading the officers of the law about Camilla that he shot and killed Bud Battle. Battle had threatened to report his hiding place. Cicero discovered his intention and put an end to the possibility. He then escaped and went to Florida. In less than a month he was in the chaingang there; from there he was brought here last week and put on trial today. He was cool and unconcerned.

He is an intelligent negro and has glistening black eyes. Just as he was leaving here tonight, being carried to Albany for safe keeping, he turned to his friends and said:

"Well, boys, I guess you have heard the news. Come to the necktie party on the 12th of June."

HE DROPPED PISTOL AND RAN

Desperate Negro Thought the Battle Was Getting Too Hot.

Washington, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—A sensational shooting affair occurred this morning at the home of B. B. Hardin, 6 miles west of here.

Two negroes employed by Mr. Hardin had a falling out while plowing in the field. They did not care to settle the difficulty without arms, and, as neither was armed, one went to his home for a pistol, while the other went to Mr. Hardin and asked the loan of a gun.

Mr. Hardin refused the loan, and, while discussing the matter the other negro came up. Mr. Hardin commanded him to halt, the negro gave no heed and continued to advance, firing first at Mr. Hardin, and then at the negro. Mr. Hardin opened fire upon the advancing negro with his shotgun. At this juncture Mr. Hardin's son came upon the scene, ran in the house and, securing another gun, opened on the negro, who had covered himself behind a tree. The situation proved too warm for the negro, and he dropped his pistol and took to his heels. When the negro reached his nearby home he was bleeding freely from the wounds inflicted by the several guns. Neither of the Hardins was seriously wounded.

The sheriff has gone out to arrest the negro, who, it is said, will resist and is well defended.

"Cures Coughs and Colds."

Mozley's Lemon Hot Drops will cure any Cough or Cold promptly. 25 cents per bottle at all drug stores.

FOUR HOMICIDE CASES TRIED

Three Convictions and One Acquittal at Kingstree S. C.

Columbia, S. C., April 22.—(Special.)—Out of the four homicide cases called at the present session of the criminal court at Kingstree, Williamsburg county, there were three convictions and one acquittal. The most important of these were those of Lonnie C. Myers for the killing of his brother-in-law, who received a life sentence in the penitentiary, and that of J. W. Boddiford for the murder of his son, Robert, in December last.

It seems that Boddiford met several members of the Gaines family on the night of the day of the killing not far from his home and a quarrel ensued. A battle followed in which pistols and guns were used. When the smoke cleared, Boddiford's son was found lying dead on the ground with a bullet in his head. It seems the father did not know his son was anywhere about the place of shooting. The bullet in young Boddiford's head was the same size as the other bullets the defendant fired and it was testified that this was the only pistol of that calibre in use.

A verdict of manslaughter was found and Boddiford was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

Professional Movers.

Harper's Bazar: It is possible in some families, where there are several willing workers, to do nearly all the packing with out outside help, simply hiring vans for carrying the goods; or, if you have a long purse, you may indulge in the luxury of giving the whole matter into the hands of a company which makes a business of packing, moving and storing household furniture. In the latter case, men will come to your house, pack everything, crating the furniture or wrapping it in burlap, load the entire contents of the house into vans, and, if necessary, into the freight car. They will receive the shipment at the other end, deliver everything at the new house, and unpack and set up the furniture, and all for no excessive sum, considering the saving of nervous wear and tear. A responsible company will guarantee the safe arrival of the whole, and will make good any breakages due to faulty packing.

PERSECUTION, MOODY CRIES

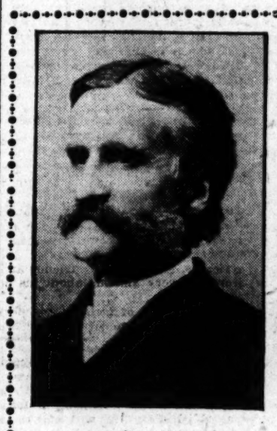
Navy Secretary Talks of Cases of Officers Indicted for Smuggling.

Washington, April 22.—Secretary Moody is inclined to believe that the prosecution of the naval officers at San Juan, Porto Rico, on charges of smuggling is rapidly becoming persecution, and it is intimated at the department that unless the attitude of the local officers there changes, the desirability of San Juan as an important naval station may be impaired. It is even intimated that the naval officers there may be withdrawn. The charges against these officers were investigated and in accordance with the practice at the treasury department, the offenders paid double the duties to which the goods brought in were subject. The president and members of the cabinet decided that the officers had amply paid for their indiscretion. Governor Hunt fully appreciates the attitude of the government and is doing what he can to straighten out matters and relieve the officers of further embarrassment.

WILL TRY TO ASCEND SATILLA

Experiment To Be Made To Bring Boat Up the Stream.

Waycross, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Satilla River, near Waycross, is to be opened up for a small steamer, which will ply between the county bridge, two miles east of here, and Brunswick. A. M. Johnson, of Atkinson, has purchased a small steamer and has obtained papers from the government marine service to ply between Mock bridge, in Ware county, and Brunswick. The boat is, at present, at Atkinson and when certain changes are made will begin its initial trip to Waycross. No steamer of any kind has ever been up Satilla within 50 miles of Waycross, and there is much doubt here whether a boat can come this far up stream. Undoubtedly there will be some months in the year that a boat could not move here, as the stream gets as shallow as two feet in low water. Johnson contemplates handling small excursion parties, naval stores and freight.



REV. W. F. V. BARTLETT, D.D.
Who Died Last Week at Lexington, Ky.

HUSBAND KILLED BY A WIRE

Mrs. Heidt's Suit in Superior Court of Ware.

Waycross, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The damage suit for $30,000 brought by Mrs. Amelia Heidt against Satilla Manufacturing Company, and Southern Telephone Company, has been on trial for the past two days in Ware superior court, and will not be completed until tomorrow. R. E. Heidt, husband of Mrs. Heidt, was killed last May by coming in contact with a live wire which fell across the street after a severe storm, and Mrs. Heidt's aim is endeavoring to prove that the accident would have not occurred had the telephone and electric properly constructed. Thirty-five witnesses so far have been them expert electricians from neighboring cities.

PRINTERS SUE FOR DAMAGES

Union Printers Seek Damages from Foote & Davies — Two Suits Filed for $10,000 Each.

E. M. Williams and R. O. Ross, two union printers, have entered suit through their attorneys, F. M. Hughes and Westmoreland Bros., against Foote & Davies for $10,000 each. The suits grew out of the arrest of the plaintiffs when a difficulty occurred between two non-union printers working for Foote & Davies and a union printer who went out on strike.

When the union printer was arrested the names of Williams and Ross were furnished the police and cases were made against them.

At the trial in the recorder's court the cases against Williams and Ross were dismissed, there being no evidence to connect them with the fight. It was brought out in the testimony that their names had been furnished the police by John M. Cooper, who is connected with the printing house of Foote & Davies.

A similar suit by another union printer was filed last week, and it is said that others are to follow.

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Writes Mrs. W. McRoberts.

"I Do All My Housework and Take Care of My Baby and I Feel So Good."



Women Made Strong and Happy Mothers.

Catarrh of the Pelvic Organs is a Frequent Cause of Barrenness.

Pe-ru-na Eradicates Catarrh From the System.

TO the woman of ancient Israel not to become a mother was regarded as the greatest of earthly calamities. To become a mother—more especially the mother of a strong, healthy boy—was the height of glory for the faithful woman of the good old Bible days. Even now, when maternity is not esteemed as of yore, the mother of healthy children is an object of admiration, and sometimes envy, by her neighbors. As compared with ancient peoples, the average American woman has a low appreciation of motherhood. There are, however, a great many exceptions to this statement.

The accompanying letters from grateful women who have been made strong, healthy and happy mothers need no added words of ours to make them convincing. Catarrh had weakened and impaired their entire systems. Peruna made them sound and well.

Mrs. L. M. Griffith, Arco, Idaho., writes: "Your medicine did me a wonderful amount of good. It cured me of barrenness. I am 30 years old and never had any children; but since beginning your medicine I gave birth to a 10-pound baby girl. She is now 6 months old and weighs 25 pounds. My friends were all surprised. Some would not believe it until they came to see me.

"My husband says he never saw such a change in any one as there was in me after I had taken three or four bottles of Peruna. I am stronger than I have been since I was quite young. God bless you and your medicine forever. I can not tell you all. My letter is too long already; but I will say Peruna cured me. I never saw or heard of anything half so good. I can never thank you enough for your kindness. In cases of la grippe it works like a charm. It cured my baby when other medicines failed. She was real bad with la grippe."—Mrs. L. M. Griffith.

Mrs. E. E. Thomas, Alpa, Mo., writes: "I have used your Peruna and Manalin. I had been doctoring for several years, but kept getting worse. One day a neighbor woman brought me your book, the 'Ills of Life,' and wanted me to take your medicine. I told her that I had given up all hope of ever getting well. I had tried so much medicine. My neighbors thought I was nearly dead with consumption.

"Finally I concluded that I would make a last trial. So my husband got me a bottle of Peruna and Manalin. I commenced taking them according to directions. That was two years ago. A year ago last November I gave birth to a 10-pound baby boy, who is well and hearty; and I am doing my own housework. I can never give Peruna too great praise. I think it is the best medicine I ever heard of."—Mrs. E. E. Thomas.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

A YOUNG MOTHER'S LETTER.

Mrs. W. McRoberts writes to Dr. Hartman from Delano, Miss., the following:

Delano Miss.

Doctor S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio:

Dear Sir:—"I feel perfectly well of catarrh. I did as you directed me to and took Peruna and Manalin. The third of March I gave birth to a 10-pound baby girl and we are both well and happy. I am very thankful to you, and Peruna saved my life. I recommend it to everyone and can't praise it enough.

"I send you my own and my baby's picture. She is so sweet and good,—she is a Peruna baby, I have such good health now. I do all my housework and take care of my baby, and feel so good.

"There are three or four of my neighbors using Peruna now, since it did me so much good. They were just run down, and they think it is fine. It is so good to give strength."—Mrs. W. McRoberts.

ENGINE IS USED TO CHASE THUGS

Four Highwaymen Pursued and Captured by Men in Locomotive.

Cumberland, Md., April 22.—Four highwaymen were chased four miles along the Baltimore and Ohio Railway last night by an engine crew, while their victim, rescued from almost certain death, sat in the cab and guided the pursuers.

Robert McDonald went to Connellsville in search of work. While on his way to the shops he was attacked by four negroes, who knocked him senseless, and after robbing him, threw his helpless body across the tracks. The engine stopped just before it crushed the body. He was taken in the cab and the engine started at full speed.

One mile east of Dawson the four negroes were sighted and the train crew arrested them. McDonald identified the men and the money was recovered.

When Tired Out Horsford's Acid Phosphate

It vitalizes the nerves, assists the digestion, refreshes and invigorates the entire body. A Tonic that permanently benefits.

Louisiana Purchase Exposition Dedication Exercises, St. Louis, April 30-May 2, 1903.

For the above occasion Mobile and Ohio agents will sell tickets at rate of one fare for the round trip. Dedication address will be by President Roosevelt. Also addresses by ex-President Cleveland and other famous statesmen. Members of cabinet, supreme court and diplomatic corps, admiral of the navy, lieutenant general of the army and other dignitaries will participate in the ceremonies. There will also be the grandest military parade and display of fireworks ever witnessed. Ask your home agent for rates and particulars, or write John M. Beall, A. G. P. A., St. Louis.

A Farewell Party.

Harper's Bazar: While the spring season of departures is at hand, a farewell entertainment given not long ago to a young woman going abroad for two years may be described, particularly as it is equally pertinent for other departures. Care was taken that the company should include only mutual friends of the hostess and guest of honor, in order that the spirit of the evening should be cordial. As each guest entered the parlors he or she was handed a letter, duly sealed, stamped, postmarked and inscribed.

These had been prepared by the ingenious hostess, cheap foreign stamps of any denomination representing the postage, the postmark corresponding to the stamp sketched on in ink. On breaking the seal and reading the note within it was found to be a request that the recipient should express, in rhyme, a good wish for Miss —, as she would be undergoing various experiences. One was asked to give her a thought while she was seasick, another of her in her steamer chair on a fine day, or unpacking her trunk, or fighting the foreign customs, or feeing the beggars of Europe, drinking beer in Germany or eating macaroni in Italy. In this way each guest received a different topic upon which his muse could work. Nothing less than four lines would be accepted, and as much more as one could produce would be received. When time was called the "poems" were read, and prizes awarded according to their merit as judged by the company. The second contest was a surprise sprung upon the assemblage. All the envelopes were collected as soon as opened and marked with the names of those who had received them, and the next set of prizes was given out for degrees of excellence with which the envelopes had been broken. As no hint of this test was made at the outset, the result was not without its chagrined fun. Telegrams could be written if preferred, a blank to be enclosed for the purpose in each envelope.

TERRAPIN DROPS FROM CLOUDS

Crowd at Anderson, S. C., Sees Terrapin Fall During a Rain.

Columbia, S. C., April 22.—(Special.)—It rained a terrapin in the city of Anderson yesterday. This statement is vouched for by Rufus Fant and Ab Fant and several little bootblacks of that place. The gentlemen named were standing in front of a store yesterday watching the rainfall. Some little bootblacks were near them. Suddenly one of the little boys exclaimed:

"Did yer see dat t'ing fall?" and he ran out into the street and picked up a half grown terrapin.

The Largest Aggregation of Capital.

Harper's Weekly: The quarterly report of the United States Steel Corporation shows net earnings for the month of March of about $9,500,000. The annual report shows the amount of cash on hand to be about $50,000,000, to say nothing of the proceeds of $250,000,000 worth of second mortgage bonds, which are now authorized and will soon be issued. To appreciate the magnitude of such resources we must compare them with those of the federal government itself. It has been asserted, and not contradicted, that the amount of cash in the federal treasury now available for immediate payments does not much exceed $70,000,000. Then, again, the gross earnings of the United States Steel Corporation for 1902 have been computed at some $500,000,000. Now the average trade balance in favor of the United States during recent years has not much exceeded the aggregate just named. There is thus far no other combination of capital in the United States which can figure in the same rank, although the Northern Securities Company and the Pennsylvania railroad are not far behind. It is a fact less generally recognized that the total assets of three life insurance companies, namely, the Mutual, the Equitable and the New York Life, represent about a billion dollars. Nothing approaching such aggregations of private capital exists in Europe, or has ever been witnessed in the history of mankind.

He Wanted To Know.

May Smart Set: Little Clarence—Pa! Mr. Callipers—Well, my son?

Little Clarence—Pa, is a double eagle one that is married, or a pair of 'em that are twins?

SKIS ON FEET OF ROOSEVELT

President Forced To Use Them Because of Snow in Park.

Cinnabar, April 22.—President Roosevelt has completed his tour of the Yellowstone park. He arrived at Fort Yellowstone about noon today from Norris, and tomorrow will inspect that post. Secretary Loeb met him this afternoon and reports that he is in the best of health and enthusiastic about his trip through the park. The secretary tonight issued the following report:

"Major Pitcher states that the president and he have just returned from a six-day tour through the park. The party went on sledges, but used horses between upper and lower geyser basins, and skis around the canyon, where it was impossible to go without them. The snow was two to five feet deep on the level throughout the country traversed. It was getting into bad shape. This is the first time the interior of the park has ever been visited before the snow went off by any one except the scouts or soldiers on duty at the various stations."

UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

One Cent a Mile to New Orleans.

For the annual reunion at New Orleans, May 19-22, the Mobile and Ohio R. R. will sell tickets to New Orleans and return at above rate, limited for return to May 24, with privilege of extension to June 15, 1903. Side trip tickets at rate of one first-class fare, plus 25c for the round trip, will be sold from New Orleans. Ask your nearest ticket agent or write Harvey E. Jones, Jr., T. P. A., M. and O. R. R., Jackson, Tenn., for full particulars.

A 100,000 Book.

Mr. James Joy Bell, whose Scottish story, "Wee Macgregor," has just made him famous in Great Britain, has been staying in London and writing his new impressions of the place. These will be printed in George R. Sims' new weekly, Men and Women. Mr. Bell is a Glasgow man. His "Wee Macgregor," which has been said to combine the kindly domestic atmosphere of Burns' "The Cotter's Saturday Night" with the fun and laughter of "Helen's Babies," is just off the press of Harper & Brothers here. It is selling in its one hundred thousandth in Great Britain.

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ATLANTA, GA., April 23, 1903.

The "Atlanta spirit" has never yet laid down.

Mr. Armour's manipulation of the wheat market is positively shocking.

The Panama hats will have to wait—we are still busy with the coal man.

On second thought, we have decided to have about half a peach crop and full prices.

Mr. Bryan should be careful how he talks—he has been breaking bread with gold democrats himself recently.

We fancy Governor Odell is going to find out that the Hon. "Tom Cat" Platt has at least nine political lives.

The cheerful announcement is made that spring is to be the real article after this. Adieu, then, to the frapped spring.

Why doesn't Manager Powell try to placate the weather man by sending him a season ticket. He's knocking the game.

Nordica is coming south again. And you can just bet the railroads will be careful not to take any more liberties with her private car.

It ought to occur to the people who employ union labor that this would be a good time to enjoin Manufacturer Parry from talking too much.

General Leonard Wood says he entirely approves of what Governor Taft has been doing in the Philippines. This would seem to settle the matter.

St. Louis has built a fence around the world's fair site, but, considering what has been going on out there, wouldn't it be safer to nail the site down?

While talking about the trust evil in Missouri we sincerely trust Mr. Bryan will not be indiscreet enough to say anything about the baking powder trust.

Isn't it taking rather an unfair advantage of the present inmates of the Missouri penitentiary to turn the state legislature into that institution in a body?

Surely 2,200 citizens can be found who are not willing to see Atlanta subscribe to a standstill policy. That's what failure to carry today's bond election means.

The old maids' convention also made a few sneering remarks at "mere man." But, of course, if you were an old maid you might feel that way about it yourself.

William K. Vanderbilt pays his ex-wife—now Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont—$250,000 per yead alimony. Let him beware lest this next one be marrying him for the alimony.

This sign in a local show window: "Panama hats, $30 to $50. Trimmed to suit you without extra charge." Now, if you could only buy your wife's hat that way.

It is charged that certain officials of the postoffice department made the government pay $30 more than the regular retail price for typewriters. It seems impossible.

They are now talking of President Roosevelt for president of Harvard university when he quits the white house. Hurry up; who'll endow a chair of bronco-busting?

A man has gone crazy trying to remember the names of all the breakfast foods. But he must have been weak-minded before, or he would have wanted to forget them instead.

A press dispatch announces that Charles M. Schwab is to be reelected president of the steel trust next month. There is nothing like swinging to a man who isn't forever kicking about his salary.

A New York manager threatens to produce a play with an Irish, Swede, Jew and German comedian all in the cast. This is going to put the hens of the country to a severe test—unless we stick to decayed vegetables.

There is an old saying that a rainy Easter Sunday means rainy Sundays for the following five weeks. This does make it seem that we are entitled to, at least, an extra thirty days on the hat. This will be about all for this season.

Dick Croker is said to be making $115,000 a year out of his English racing stable, and has decided to stay over there indefinitely. The New York taxpayers ought to realize by this time that they made a good investment in that racing stable.

It now develops that the Pennsylvania legislature at its recent session passed a baking powder bill similar to the one that brought about such a scandal in the Missouri legislature. But the people of Pennsylvania have become so accustomed to such things that they never think of making a fuss about it, as they do in Missouri.

No Halt To Atlanta's Progress.

The "Atlanta spirit" has prevailed again! Atlanta moves onward. No standstill policy for this city, whose progressiveness has become proverbial.

By a narrow margin, but sufficient to answer the purpose, Atlanta has authorized $400,000 of sewer and water extension bonds. The needs of the city have been recognized and will be met.

It was an eleventh hour fight. But it was won. The victory was gained over that greatest of all foes—apathy. The very unanimity of public sentiment in favor of these needed public improvements was the hardest thing to contend with. But the people were aroused at last, the old-time Atlanta enthusiasm prevailed, and the bonds carried.

Once more this progressive city has kept its banner from trailing in the dust. Once more has it proclaimed that its watchwords are "Forward and onward!"

With the extensions to the sewer and water systems now authorized, Atlanta will be as well equipped in these particulars as any city of her class in the country. She will be able to cope with the steady increase in population that is rapidly making her a city of the first class. With plenty of pure water and perfect sewerage her health is guaranteed.

The city is, indeed, to be congratulated on the result of yesterday's bond election. And she owes a debt of gratitude to the city officials and the patriotic citizens who took this important movement in hand and carried it through to success. They have worked zealously and unselfishly, and their efforts have conferred a lasting benefit on their city.

Atlanta's progress remains unimpeded. Every new demand made upon her but adds to her greatness. She is today, as she has been always, equal to any emergency.

Great is Atlanta, but greater is the "Atlanta spirit."

Sound Advice for Organized Labor.

Dignify labor by conservative action and by choosing as your representatives men who fully appreciate and fully understand both sides of the question. Men who do not feel it to be their duty to lead you into the fight for the sake of a "scrap." I claim in my business affairs that the best lawyer for me is the fellow that will keep me out of lawsuits, and the best leaders for you are the men who will keep you out of difficulties which can be avoided.

There is a whole lot of common sense in the above advice, given by Senator Mark Hanna in an address delivered Tuesday night to the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, now holding its twenty-eighth annual convention in Cleveland, Ohio.

However much we may differ with Senator Hanna politically, it must be admitted that of late years he has interested himself in the laboring man's cause as few public men have ever done. He has, undoubtedly, given much study to the problems that constantly confront both the employer and employee, and he has invariably displayed a vast amount of common sense in dealing with these matters.

For these reasons his counsel has more than ordinary value. In offering the above advice he is brief but to the point; and he couldn't have said anything that is of more value to the laboring man.

Strive to keep down friction. Beware of those leaders who are constantly trying to bring on a fight, just for the sake of fighting. Tie to those who counsel conservatism.

The laboring man does not have to look far to learn how this dignified, conservative policy works to the benefit of organized labor. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers furnishes a case in point. It is generally admitted, we think, that the B. L. E. is one of the most perfect labor organizations in the world. Its members are better paid than any other class of laboring men, many of them receiving larger salaries than the supreme court justices of this state.

This is due to a large extent, of course, to the hazardous character of the work and the skill involved. But there are other reasons. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has always been managed along conservative lines. It has been free from the professional agitator. Its officers command the respect and the confidence of the railroad officials of the country. There is not a railroad president in the country who does not recognize in the national head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers a peer, and, at the same time, a man whose first purpose in adjusting whatever differences may arise is to prevent a clash if possible.

It follows, naturally, that the executive officers of the railroads involved are always ready to meet such a man half way; that they are usually willing to treat with him in the same spirit.

All concerned regard such negotiations as purely a business man, to be dealt with in a business-like manner. The railroad officials, on their part, are simply striving to increase the efficiency and the earning capacity of their roads; the B. L. E. is simply striving to increase the efficiency and the earning capacity of its members. Their interests are, necessarily, mutual. There is no need for hostilities. Whenever differences arise they are taken up and considered as one set of railroad officials would treat with the officials of another road having a question of rates or other matters to adjust.

The result of this policy has been almost continuous peace for the members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and a gradual improvement in the conditions under which they work, as well as a constant increase in pay. At the same time, the efficiency of the men has been increased to a marked degree, and thus the railroads, too, have received a tangible benefit.

There are other labor organizations that pursue a dignified, conservative policy; but the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers best illustrates the case. It is an organization for the other labor unions of the country to pattern after.

The advice that Senator Hanna gives organized labor does not mean that it must truckle or that it must surrender any of its rights. It simply means that those hot-heads who are prone to bring on a clash between the employer and employee should be repudiated. He puts the case very clearly when he says the best lawyer is the one who can keep you out of court.

Let the South Alone.

The New York American of Monday last contains a vigorous editorial calling upon the country to let the south alone in its effort to solve the negro problem.

This is what The Constitution has demanded time and time again; but, of course, anything on that subject from this side of the Mason and Dixon line is discounted to begin with.

As strange as it may seem, the very people who know the most about this problem, because they are brought into contact with it every day, are the ones whose testimony is least desired and seldom listened to by those theorists who, for want of something better to do perhaps, have seemingly devoted themselves to the task of solving another people's problem for them.

Occasionally, however, some man or some newspaper, with a little more common sense or a greater spirit of fairness than the rest, does arise and try to set them straight. If, then, they will not listen to those who are on the ground, let them at least give ear to those on their own side of the line who cannot be charged with prejudice or of entertaining a motive.

We have reason to believe that the north will take this view of the matter in time. Leading men and leading newspapers of that section are already beginning to see the point. We doubt not President Roosevelt himself has had his eyes opened to a certain extent. He would be blind, indeed, if he now fails to see the matter in a clearer light than he did. At any rate, he has not recently shown any disposition to press the question.

The American says it is not unreasonable to expect that at least one of his speeches while out west will be devoted to the negro problem. It is to be hoped that the president will steer clear of this question if he can.

Even President Roosevelt must see by this time that the application of strange ideas to the solution of the south's race problem only goes to make a bad matter worse. He is stubborn, indeed, if he is not now willing to admit that the only remedy lies in letting the south alone. As the American well says, it is the country's duty to do so.

Cotton in Cuba Unpromising.

Some time since The Constitution devoted an editorial of some length to the possibilities of Cuban rivalry of the southern states in cotton production, particularly in the raising of sea island or long staple cotton. From the information then at hand it seemed very probable that the island was on the eve of a phenomenal cotton culture boom. It now appears that if those Americans who were sending out such seductive data and prophecies concerning cotton growing in Cuba were not merely enthusiasts, they were likely land syndicate promoters or "cappers."

E. A. Schwartz, custodian of coleoptera in the National museum, has just returned to Washington from a thorough tour of Cuba, the object of which was to inspect the ravage of the boll weevil in the cotton on the island. The report he brings back is highly discouraging to the future of the fleecy staple in Cuba. The trouble, according to Mr. Schwartz, does not lie in the adaption of the soil and climate of the island to cotton as a staple crop, but in the remarkable prevalence of the boll weevil and other insect pests fatal to cotton production. Some of these destructive insects are of a species entirely unfamiliar to American cotton planters, and, indeed, to American entomologists.

In The Washington Times Mr. Schwartz presents an interesting resume of his Cuban observations. He tells us that "kidney cotton," the native wild cotton of the island, which flourishes luxuriantly and with age forms veritable trees, has afforded food and a breeding place for boll weevil and kindred insect pests since time immemorial, and that hitherto the successful cultivation of commercial cotton has been out of the question by reason of this unfortunate condition. These swarming insects must be exterminated before cultivated cotton will be free from their blight, and it has been suggested that the kidney cotton must be exterminated first. This the coleoptera expert considers impracticable, as one would well imagine, since the wild cotton is about as common as the commonest weed. Mr. Schwartz says there is yet a long experimentative period before Cuba before cotton planting can be undertaken on a considerable scale with any degree of security. Experiments will be undertaken, however, under government auspices, though it is obvious in advance that their success must be largely if not wholly contingent upon the extermination of the weevil. There is no tone of encouragement in Mr. Schwartz's reference to the proposed official experiments along this line.

There is, furthermore, much difference of opinion, says this authority, on the proper season to plant cotton in Cuba, whether at the beginning or the end of a rainy season, and this question will have to be answered by careful experimenting before many will venture to embark in cotton planting enterprises. The time of planting will bear a relation not only to the productiveness, but it is believed will be a factor in enabling the plant to resist the weevil.

Incidentally Mr. Schwarts feels constrained to utter this warning:

Cuba has an abundance of land which is admirably suited to the growing of cotton, and in all parts of the island they are discussing the possibility of its introduction, but the natives have neither the money nor the inclination to experiment, and their talk does not produce results. American land speculators are finding many dupes in the United States who believe that it will be an easy thing to start a cotton plantation in the favorable climate and soil of Cuba. Those who have been approached with this scheme should investigate most carefully before spending their money.

Prospective American cotton planters in Cuba would no doubt do well to heed this advice before making investments in the island on interested representations.

NEGRO BURGLAR SHOT DEAD

Killed by Young Man Whose House Negro Was Trying To Enter.

Birmingham, Ala., April 22.—(Special.)—A negro burglar, known as John Black, was shot this morning about 2 o'clock by S. J. Levine, Jr., a young man 21 years of age, while getting into the latter's residence, 2611 Fifth avenue. The negro ran around the front of the next house, occupied by R. F. Loveless, and dropped dead, being found there this morning about 5 o'clock.

The negro had a pistol and a large sized knife in his pockets and negroes who looked at the dead negro stated that his name was John Black and that he was a "roustabout."

S. J. Levine, father of the young man who shot the burglar, conducts a store on South Twentieth street. About a month ago the house was robbed.

Decrease in Cotton Receipts.

Rome, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Rome has received 42,000 bales of cotton this season, which shows a falling off of 1,500 bales to date.

STATE PRESS SIDELIGHTS.

The Sparta Ishmaelite declares it has never seen a northern history of the United States that was truthful or honest in dealing with questions affecting the south.

It is reported that the Carnegies are about to buy Cumberland island, lock, stock and barrel, and make it an earthly paradise. The idea does not please the Brunswick people, and we can scarcely blame them.—Waycross Herald.

The Bainbridge ship yard is taking rapid strides toward the completion of the barges and dredging boats begun there early in February. However, they will be building there all through the summer, and there is a possibility of the ship yard being a permanent industry for the city.—Bainbridge Argus.

Clarke county is preparing to acadamize its public roads. What Clarke county can do, Clayton can do, says The Jonesboro Enterprise, and while it may seem an extravagance to make first-class public highways, yet it is the only public improvement in which all the citizenry, either high or low, rich and poor, are benefited, and why any progressive people can fail to see it that way is a hard problem to solve.

Douglas Giessner, of The Griffin News, is not only a confirmed bachelor, but he is shameless enough to boast of it at times. The following reveals him in his true light:

"And to think that one of our printers should basely take advantage of a day off to get married Sunday! Here's where we are threatened with a Monday morning issue, in order that we may keep our printers out of mischief on Sunday."

We have often had occasion to note in this column the enterprise and progressive spirit of that thriving Georgia paper, The Dublin Courier-Dispatch. And now comes the announcement that it is to be equipped with linotype machines, a new press and folder, constituting the most modern and expensive weekly newspaper plant in Georgia, if not in the entire south. This is truly a wonderful achivement for a newspaper published in a town the size of Dublin. But Dublin is rapidly becoming one of the most flourishing little cities in the south, and this display of enterprise on the part of The Courier-Dispatch is, no doubt, fully justified.

ON THE BRIGHT SIDE.

What's It for Anyway?

Chicago News: "The cranks who object to kissing make me weary," remarked the Jayville philosopher. "One would think to hear them talk that a girl's mouth was merely a hole in her face for pie."

A New Crime.

Philadelphia Telegraph: Judge—Officer, what is this prisoner charged with?
Officer—Electricity, your honor. I caught him stealing trolley wire.

The Whole World To Him.

New York World: Uncle Sam has purchased 250,000 pounds of Richmond tobacco for his "blue jackets." This recalls the old story about Jack Tar's three wishes—all the 'bacy in the world, all the rum in the world, and for the third "a little more 'baccy."

Where She Excels.

Smart Set: Grace—Do you not admit that a woman is the best judge of another woman's character?
Gwendolyn—Yes, a good judge, but a better executioner.

Identifying Him.

Punch: Estate Agent (to Laborer's Son)—Here, my boy, where can I find your father?
Boy—In the pig sty, sir. You'll know 'im by 'is brown 'at!

Another Phase of It.

Boston Herald: They say Mrs. Grover Cleveland nearly choked with laughter when one of the speakers at the Tuskegee meeting in New York told about visiting Tuskegee and meeting a little black boy, who said his name was Caleb Joshua Grover Cleveland McFadd.

Up-to-Date Ancestors.

Judge: Mrs. Upperten—I suppose you take great pride in your ancestry.
Mrs. Newlyriche—Oh, yes; the genealogist assured us that they were the very latest thing in ancestors.

All Look Alike.

Cleveland Plain Dealer: "I see that a New York woman shot her husband because she mistook him for a burglar."
"Ain't it wonderful how all those New Yorkers get to look alike?"

"JUST FROM GEORGIA."

Mister Trouble.

Howdy, Mister Trouble,
Comin' ter destroy:
Dis de place you lookin' fer?—
Take a seat wid Joy!
Road wuz mighty weary—
Lonesome wuz de night;
Come in ter de laughter—
Lose yo'se'f in light!
Think de worl' is lonesome?—
'Bleege ter take you' chance!
Th'ow dat mo'nin' mantle off
En jine us in de dance!

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A Literary Protest.

Mr. William Little Bigger, who abandoned literature when he inherited a fortune, enters this protest:

"Authors stormin' every wall
Weather bright and hazy,
Books enough to run us all
Just this side of crazy!"

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Many a man has gained a reputation for wisdom by just looking wise when every one else was acting the fool.

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The Life Road.

The work to do,
With courage true—
The constant, brave endeavor;
Bread and meat,
And health to eat,
And thanks for both forever!

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How an Author Fills an Order.

And now, here is Anthony Hope placing himself in the role of a literary mechanic! Here is his own evidence, as quoted in Harpers Weekly. He is at his desk, carrying on a conversation with himself:

"3:40. Oh, I say, look here! I've only got about 1,200 words, and I want 2,000. What the deuce shall I do?

"3:50. I must pad it, you know. She mustn't take him yet, that's all.

"4. She can't take more than a page accepting the fool, though; it's absurd, you know.

"4:15. Oh, confound it!

"4:45. Now, let's see—two, four, six, seven. Good; I'm straight now!

"5. Thank Heaven, that's done! Now I suppose I must read the thing over. I know it's awful rot. Well, that's their lookout; they've bought it!"

Were one to take Brother Hope seriously he would find himself pitying the publisher—who doesn't deserve pity—and the reader, who does.

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The Uncertain Season.

Though stormy April threatens
The world with grief and gloom,
There's not enough o' blizzard
To blight a single bloom!
Nor shall the madcap fool us
To dream that winter's gone;
Though Laura's at the picnic
She has her snowshoes on!

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The Old Man's Snake Story.

"And you say the snake was fifteen feet long?"

"Well, suh, he looked dat long w'en he stretched his full length ter strike me."

"But—a snake never strikes unless he's in coil."

"Marse Tom," said the old man, "We better end dis conversation right whar it is. Either I'm a nachul bo'n liar, or long drinkin' hez made you a fust-class authority on snakes!"

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It is the opinion of a Billville philosopher that the office that is always "seeking the man" is—figuratively speaking—generally so lame and "stove-up" with the rheumatism, the man doesn't experience any trouble whatever in getting out of its way.

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The Lazy Ones.

The wind that bends the branches
That hold the wild bird's nest,
To turn the idle wind mills
And rock us into rest.
The rain to yield convenient drink—
Trees for umbrellas o'er us,
The clods we tread to bloom with bread,
And the Sun to bake it for us!

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"Dey is enough charity in dis worl' ter kiver a multitude er sinners," says Brother Williams, "but to do 'em any good hereafter, de kiverin' should be fireproof."

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His Choice.

"W'ich would you ruther—ter be blowed sky-high by a harricane, or swallered by a airthquake?"

"Well, ef it come ter dat, I thinks I'd ruther steer cl'ar er de two er dem, en be lynched by my friends!"

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The Cleveland Bugle reports a "wild" man in the woods near that place. Good idea to let him stay there. Pity we can't induce all the wild ones to take to the woods.

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The Rocky Road Along.

A few frail flowers springing,
The rocky road along;
A little time for singing,
But sunlight in the song!
Then here's to love, and living
'Neath starred or stormy sky,
If heaven is forgiving
We'll get there by-and-by!

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"Reason Job had so much patience," said Brother Dickey, "wuz—he knowed de devil had him, en it wuz no use ter holler."

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In the Billville Settlement.

Mandy, whar's Innocence Jinkins?"

"Well, she's been so good an' sweet this mornin', I give her lief to go out a while an' kill rattlesnakes."

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"Ef you don't keep dat hard head er yo's off de railroad track," said the old man, "fust t'ing you knows it'll ditch a train, en de road'll sue you fer damages!"

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Hard To Down.

"Parson Jones has succeeded in running the devil out of this town," says a rural exchange, "but rumor says that he's cuttin' up his capers in the next settlement. It does look like there's just no getting around him!"

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Along the Way.

Not unrewarded all the toil—
The burden of the day,
If but one flower shall bless the soil
Along the weary way.

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Don't worry. Weather's chilly now, but you'll soon be hot enough to smash the thermometer—if it doesn't rise out of reach.

F. L. S.

WILLIAMS-LAY.

Sylvester, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Mr. S. T. Williams, of this place, was on the 12th inst., married to Miss Teet Lay, of Norman Park. The bride is a beautiful, popular and accomplished society belle. The groom is a young business man of superior business qualifications.
SPORTS—

TALKS ABOUT ATLANTA

LaGrange Reporter: The Atlanta Constitution set the pace with a 70-page edition last Sunday.

Macon County Citizen: With her baseball team and the Georgia legislature in full blast Atlanta will always have "something doing" in the good old summer time.

Darien Gazette: It is our opinion that the average solon will come to the conclusion after he gets to Atlanta that it's best to remain in session the whole of the fifty deays.

Darien Gazette: It has been quite a long time since Atlanta furnished a big sensation—probably due to the wise administration of Mayor Howell.

Cordele Sentinel: Even Atanta staggered a little when it came to raising that big pile of money for the Presbyterian university. Cordele citizens also assisted liberally in the matter.

Sparks Enterprise: Atlanta seems pretty muchly balled up over the union depot proposition. At last accounts each road will have its own union depot.

Buford Enterprise: It is a dull day in the forum when Atlanta doesn't get some notoriety. She has recently been engaged in trying to sidestep a prize fight.

Dalton Press: The business of Atlanta has grown so much that her banks have been forced to add more capital. This is very gratifying and it will be felt more or less all over the state.

Eatonton Messenger: We hear much of the Atlanta spirit. An Atlanta woman returned to that city recently after an absence of several years and found that strangers were using her cemetery lot. Is that the Atlanta spirit?

Washington Gazette: Atlanta is moving up in educational matters on a par with the fine position she has held so long commercially, and all Georgia wishes her great success with her great Presbyterian university.

Warren County Reporter: The Atlanta spirit is one to be admired. When it comes to pushing a public movement the Atlanta people trot things off at a rate that would almost rival the speed of the railway train an old darkey describes as follows: On being asked how far it was to a certain place, he replied, "Boss, if you walks, it's erbout twenty-five miles; but if you tooks de cars, it aint no fur, case you's done got thar."

Campbell County News: Atlanta keeps up her record of being fully up-to-date. One depot built on paper did not meet the requirements of her fast growing population and now her enterprising papers are building two depots costing a cool million each, and a million dollar university thrown in for good measure. Truly Atlanta is a great city.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Negro, a Lower Type of Man.

Editor Constitution: In a recently published report of the transactions of the Central of Georgia Railway Surgeons' Association appears the following paragraph:

"One of the most interesting of the several able papers read was "The Negro as a Surgical Subject," by Dr. Seale Harris, of Union Springs, Ala. He said that the negro displayed greater stoicism and indifference to pain than the white man. It was his opinion, however, that this was not due to higher physical courage, but because the negro is nearer the brute, and in consequence is not so highly sensitive to pain."

I appreciate the kind reference to my discussion of the subject above mentioned, but I must seriously object to being quoted as saying that the "negro is nearer the brute." I do not like the word "brute" used in this connection, and in the informal discussion of "The Negro as a Surgical Subject" I did not intend to convey the impression that the negro is of the "brute" type. What I said, or intended to say, was that "the negro's brain is smaller, less complex, or more primitive in structure, approaching nearer the simian type, than that of the white race, which, according to our ideas of evolution, would seem to place the negro as a lower type of man than the Caucasian."

In discussing the negro's indifference to the pain of surgical operations, I said that "it is well known that savage tribes suffer less pain from injury or disease than the civilized races, and the more intellectual the man, the greater is his susceptibility to pain." I mentioned the fact that Livingstone reported that among the Yoloffs, a savage tribe in the interior of Africa, their medicine men, for certain diseased conditions, were accustomed to ripping open the abdomen and manipulating the bowels of the victims, and they bore the operations without apparent suffering, generally recovering from them.

I said that the negroes inherited their indifference to pain from their savage ancestors. I certainly did not mean to class the negro as a brute, but on the contrary I think that he is distinctly human, subject to all the sins and degradations of human beings, and as such he is entitled to the "God-given privileges of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

Believing as I do that the negro is rapidly degenerating, both morally and physically, since his emancipation from slavery, during which regime he lived under the most moral and hygienic environments that I believe the negro ever saw, or ever will see, I think that he merits the sympathy, compassion and assistance of the superior race—the whites of the south as well as the north—who are equally responsible for the negro's being here as "the white man's burden."

SEALE HARRIS, M.D.
Union Springs, Ala.

Atlanta and Washington.

Washington Reporter: If Washington wanted a cotton factory half as bad as Atlanta did that Presbyterian university, and had the spirit of cooperation that Atlanta has, all the stock for the factory would be taken in a week.

My! My! What a Paper.

Blackshear Times: A recent Sunday Atlanta Constitution contained seventy pages, and it weighed 17½ ounces. My! my! what a paper! The Times doesn't print but 3,400 pages a week, and if seventy of them were sent to one person its circulation would be but little over forty-eight copies.

More Than Other 59 Combined.

Mobank (Tex.) Courier: There are sixty publications entered at the postoffice at Atlanta, Ga., as second-class mail matter. The total amount of postage paid the government by these publications the past year was $44,064.74. Of this amount The Atlanta Constitution alone paid $25,211.75. All other publications in Atlanta—fifty-nine in number—paid $18,852.99.

THE COUNTRY'S DUTY; LET THE SOUTH ALONE

New York American: When President Roosevelt emerges from the Yellowstone park he will find the door of opportunity open to him for another pronunciamento on the race question. Since he secluded himself in the wilds discussion of it has been actively renewed. The occasion for this renewal was the address of ex-President Cleveland at the Booker Washington meeting in this city last week, in which he agreed unreservedly with the stand first taken by The American month ago, when Mr. Roosevelt, as a bidder for colored delegates to the next national republican convention, set the whole south aflame.

It will not surprise the president to learn that the southern press indorses Mr. Cleveland's speech with the same heartiness that it has indorsed the utterances of this journal on the same subject.

But there is something else that will give concern to Mr. Roosevelt, because of its political significance. Not a few northern newspapers, classified as democratic, which were for a time disposed to support him in forcing negro officials upon hostile communities, have taken the back track. They were speedily made aware that The American, and not they, spoke for the democratic sentiment of the nation, and that silenced them. The appearance of Mr. Cleveland on The American's side has emboldened them to fall into line.

And more: On entering the Yellowstone the president already had had it borne in upon him that many northern republicans regretted his attempt to resurrect sectionalism. When he comes out it will be to face the fact that the number of such republicans has greatly increased. The intelligence of his party knows that he has made a mistake—and so does he.

Among the scores of speeches which the president has yet to deliver before his tour shall end it is not unreasonable to expect that at least one will be devoted to the race problem at the south and his relation to is. And this speech may well prove to be novel as well as important. Everybody knows in advance what Mr. Roosevelt will say when his theme is the tariff, or the trusts, or the duties of citizenship, or the army and navy, or Cuba, or the Philippines. But this is not the case when he has the race question for his topic. On that he has changed ground repeatedly, or rather, at different times, he has given different reasons for doing the same thing.

In November last, for example, he declared that "it is, and should be, my consistent policy, where the numbers warrant it, to recognize colored men of good repute and standing in making appointments to office."

That is, where negroes are few and the "recognition" of them would produce neither trouble nor delegates, they must not look for office, whereas where their numbers are large and trouble follows if they are recognized, there they will get office.

Thus spoke Mr. Roosevelt frankly as a politician.

But in March last, in his letter to Mr. Clark Howell, editor of The Atlanta Constitution, he said:

"I cannot treat mere color as a bar to holding office, any more than I could so treat creed or birthplace—always providing that in other respects the applicant or incumbent is a worthy and well-behaved American citizen."

That was Mr. Roosevelt, the friend of man, the opener of the door of hope and opportunity, the voicer of high and noble opinions, who cares nothing about "numbers" and "recognition."

The American declined to accept Mr. Roosevelt in his second and finer aspects. It saw in his actions not the doctrinaire loyal to a principle regardless of consequences to himself or others, but the politician maneuvering for a nomination, who, in order to achieve his purpose, set race against race in a section of our common country which carries a great load but nevertheless is steadily bringing its social life under safe and livable conditions. Therefore The American rebuked Mr. Roosevelt, rebuked him strongly, rebuked him frequently. And in these rebukes it was joined by all northern newspapers which believe that it is more important that the long-suffering south should have peace than that any man should be president.

Hence it was that Mr. Roosevelt in his letter to Mr. Howell turned angrily upon The American and said:

"I have been surprised and somewhat pained at what seems to me the incomprehensible outcry in the south about my actions—an outcry apparently started in New York for reasons wholly unconnected with the question nominally at issue."

With these examples of his versatility before us it may well be anticipated that when the president again utters himself on negro appointments he will supply fresh reasons for his policy.

But no matter what President Roosevelt may say or do, The American will continue to demand justice for the south. From the beginning we have understood and expressed the true democratic attitude on the negro question. Consequently, while it gives us profound pleasure it causes us no surprise to find democratic newspapers and democratic public men at the north who were among the hating now ranging themselves on the right side.

It is the civilized side, the American side, the side of a partiotism that knows no sectional lines, but embraces the union.

In taking this side there is no unkindness to the negro. The people of the south understand him best and are his best friends. Nowhere else is heartier encouragement given to Booker T. Washington, the ablest of colored men, in his efforts to uplift his race along the road of education, industry, sobriery, self-control and economy. Nowhere else is the negro afforded so many avenues of employment, nowhere else are his relations with the whites so kindly.

But the south, in whose memory live vividly the horrors of the reconstructing saturnalia, is resolved that never again shall it suffer under negro domination.

In that resolve it has the sympathy and support of the democratic party of the north. Indeed, the south has with it all men whose good sense is not mastered by political partisanship.

What The American said on March 4, when Mr. Roosevelt attributed to its influence the outcry against his cause, we here repeat:

"The American's opposition to the president's policy is based upon a knowledge of the southern people and the requirements of their difficult situation. What we have said on their behalf has been inspired by a sincere desire to make known to their brethren of the rest of the country the conditions which surround and the feelings that control the whites of the region in which negro domination looms as a real and terrible menace. We have sought to convey to our common country the fears of the people of the south so that the people of the north may, through understanding, extend the honest sympathy and assurance which the people of the south deserve in their efforts to solve a race problem that bears upon them heavily, and the seriousness of which the civilized world appreciates.

"The outcry apparently started in New York for reasons wholly unconnected with the question nominally at issue' is founded on a desire to eliminate this race problem in the south, where it presses in daily life and enters into every home, from cheap partisan politics. The supreme requirement as to the race problem is this:

"'LET THE SOUTH ALONE!'"

INJUNCTION CASE IS POSTPONED

Hearing on Lumber Rates Goes Over Till May 12.

Roads Find They Have Not Sufficient Time in Which To Prepare Their Side of the Case Properly—Speer Grants Postponement.

The hearing of the injunction case of the lumber companies of southwest Georgia against the Southeastern Freight Association has been postponed until May 12. This action was taken by Judge Emory Speer, of the United States court, yesterday.

At the meeting of the representatives of the railroads forming the freight association, yesterday and the day before, it was found that the roads would not have sufficient time in which to prepare their side of the case properly if the hearing were held on the 24th of this month, as originally set. A telegram setting forth the reasons of the roads for asking the delay was therefore sent Judge Speer, at Macon, late Tuesday night by the chairman of the meeting, and yesterday morning a reply was received, stating that the request for further time had been granted and the time for hearing set for the 12th of next month.

The railroads intend to present their case in the most complete form, and to that end are getting up all the data possible on the subject. Local officers of the various lines immediately concerned have been working into the small hours for some time on this matter, and they state that they expect the roads to win the case. They claim that these particular mill men who are seeking to enjoin the road from raising the rates on lumber shipped to the west have at the present time lower rates on their product than any mills in the territory through which this lumber is shipped and the roads expect to show this in court. This statement that the Georgia mills have lower rates must be understood to mean that they have lower rates per ton per mile than other mills. This is especially true of the mills in the Louisiana territory and adjacent timber regions.

Railroad men the country over are taking deep interest in the result of this effort to prevent the roads charging the rates they deem correct, and the trial will be closely watched.

The representatives of the roads adjourned yesterday afternoon.

BAIL WAS FIXED AT $2,000 EACH

Efforts To Secure Bondsmen for Mrs. Griffin and Sam Knowles.

Eatonton, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Application for bail for Mrs. Griffin and Sam Knowles was heard last night, at Clinton, before Judge Lewis. Bail was fixed at $2,000 for each. Efforts were made today by W. J. Knowles, the father, to secure bondsmen, but so far failure has resulted. Effort will be renewed tomorrow. It was not generally known that bail for Sam Knowles would be made.

ELOQUENCE IN SHAKEPEARE

This Will Be the Subject of the Last Lecture of the Association Season.

"Eloquence in Shakespeare" will probably be the subject of the lecture to be delivered in Atlanta next Tuesday night, April 28, by Dr. D. J. Stafford, of Washington. The lecture will have special reference to the orations in Julius Caesar.

This will be the last lecture of the present season and promises to be one of the best attractions of the course. Dr. Stafford is recognized as one of the foremost Shakespearean students and lecturers in the country and always creates a profound impression wherever he speaks. He is a man of wonderful magnetism, splendid presence, and has a superb and well modulated voice, which he uses with pleasing effect in quoting from the subject of his address.

It is expected that Dr. Stafford will bring out the full lecture membership. Single seats for the lecture will be placed on sale Saturday morning.

BURNING OF LUMBER KILN

Fire at Marchman Ga., Yesterday Afternoon.

Quitman, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The old dry kiln of the Dasher Lumber Company, at Marchman, burned this afternoon. The mill was moved away some time since, and the only sufferer is the South Georgia railway, some hundred feet of their main line being damaged, so that the evening trains will be delayed, as the track cannot be repaired until it cools down.

Accepts His New Call.

Valdosta, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Elder S. R. Maxwell, pastor of the Christian church in this city, has notified his congregation of his acceptance of the new call which they recently extended him. Mr. Maxwell recently had a flattering offer from a church in West Virginia, but considered that his duty lay here. He accepted the recall here, with the understanding that three months would be given the church in which to secure another pastor if he shall decide to remove to another place.

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CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WILL BE A VERY HANDSOME STRUCTURE



GOTHIC DESIGN OF CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH LOOKING FROM PEACH-TREE ST. ATLANTA GA.

THE Cumberland Presbyterians will soon begin work on their new church, to be located on the southeast corner of Harris and Spring streets, the only church of the denomination in Atlanta. Plans have been accepted and the contract will be let within a short time.

The building will be modern in style and arrangement, will be constructed of red pressed brick with stone trimmings, and will cost about $15,000. The main auditorium and Sunday school room will be on one floor with a large raising partition between, allowing a combined seating capacity of 575. Class rooms, ladies' parlor, pastor's study, choir room and kitchen will be conveniences properly attached. Pending the erection of the new building the church holds services every Sunday in the Young Men's Christian Association gospel hall.

The work of establishing the Cumberland Presbyterian church in Atlanta was begun nearly two years ago by the present pastor, Rev. George H. Mack, who has worked energetically to render the movement a success. A formal organization was effected last September and the church now has about seventy members. The movement is under the care of the Tennessee synod, in which state the church has 45,000 members, and it was necessitated by the removal of many members to Atlanta.

The building committee, which has in charge the erection of the new building, is composed of the following: Dr. R. R. Kime, D. B. Carson, John H. Reynolds, of Rome; R. S. Crutcher, S. R. Jacobs, M. L. Hicks, J. M. Douglas and Dr. W. E. Foute.

The Cumberland Presbyterian church is not well known in Georgia, being stronger in Tennessee, Kentucky and throughout the middle west and southwest. It has about 200,000 members, which, counting colored membership, makes it about the size of the Southern Presbyterian church. Its government is Presbyterian.

The present agitation regarding union with the Northern Presbyterian church makes the doctrines of this church a subject of interest just now. The church was organized in 1810 in the Cumberland country of Kentucky and Tennessee, by ordained ministers, who withdrew from the Presbyterian church. The cause of the withdrawal was that in the great revival of 1800 these men did not feel that they could preach a "whosoever will" gospel to the unsaved and at the same time give assent to the election doctrines of the Westminster confession, which, as they believed, teaches the element of "fatality" and a limited salvation. So the present belief of the church is that Christ died not for a past only, but for all mankind, that all infants dying in infancy are saved and that all who will may come to Him for life.

The result of the revision movement in the northern church will be to express belief in the salvation of infants and of all who will accept the offer of God's grace. But even if the churches should agree in doctrine, both are prospering so well that union might not be deemed advisable.

THE PASSING THRONG

As the Philosopher rides down town on a street car every morning he pours forth some of the thoughts that come to him during the watches of the night.

"A foreigner with a hand organ and a monkey passed my house as I came out to catch the car," he remarked to the passengers on the rear platform the other morning.

"The man ground busily on the organ crank, the monkey danced about and a troop of children hung at the heels of the pair, like the old Pied Piper and the little ones of Hamlintown.

"There was something peculiarly human—pathetically human—in the way those tots forgot all else but the doleful noise of the awful organ and the quaint antics of the dancing monkey.

"How many of us are following daily some wheezy organ and capering monkey?

"We labor hard, some of us, through the long day and as soon as the quitting time rolls round we scuttle off to sink ourselves in pleasure, forgetting all the serious, great things of life, eager only for the strains of the insipid music, the heedlessness of the dance, while others of us forget that rest should come with the evening and labor on far into the night.

"The work of some is drudgery, a harsh, unpleasant necessity, that they would gladly shun; the serious business of their lives is life's frivolity. For others the only music is the jingle of the dollars. The wheezy rag time of artificiality dulls our ears to the majestic symphonies of nature.

"It's just as well that our hearts are not oppressed by gloom, till our faces lengthen out like fiddles and we never smile. But think! The great stars shine serene above us night after night, the grass grows green and the trees blossom and bend under their burdens of luscious fruit, the phenomena of nature go on and on, but which of us heeds the wonders? We speak flippantly of electricity, of steam, of gravity and carelessly dismiss them from our minds, but who knows what electricity and gravitation are? The little things are unduly magnified; the big things wholly forgotten, often.

"We go on following the organs and the monkeys, devoting our lives to pleasure, to money getting, to gratifying ambition, but the night is coming, dark and drear and cold, the music will all of a sudden cease, the organ grinder lifts his music box to his back and the monkey hops on his arm and both will disappear. We will shiver and stare about us, frightened to find that we are far from home, that the night has caught us and we are lost, for we heeded not the way we came."

The car stopped and several of the passengers stepped down, the Philosopher with them.

"Ah!" said he, "we are now in the heart of the city and I can hear the voices of countless organs, for this is where the grown up folks come to listen to their strains."

And then each one went his way.

Three men came out of a saloon disputing among themselves the other evening.

"I don't want to drink with you, anyway," said one to another. "You're a blankety, blank scoundrel!"

The one so addressed advanced threateningly toward him who called names.

"Do you mean to say," he demanded fiercely, "that I—that I am a blankety, blank scoundrel?"

The other bristled up and asserted that was just what he intended saying, and the angry one was staggered.

"Well," he replied, "don't holler it out so everybody can hear you?"

Certain young fellows who love fun have offices in one of the down town sky scrapers and this is the way they entertained themselves of a recent evening:

A young negro came along whistling in the street below the window where the facetious fellows were. All of a sudden there was a flash and an explosion just behind the negro. He jumped and ran and peals of laughter followed him. Then another came along. "Bang!" went something on the sidewalk at his feet and away he went like a shot cat. Then another with the same result.

The next passer-by was a pompous fat man wearing a silk hat.

"Give it to him—make him jump!" exclaimed a muffled voice from the window above.

"We can't replied a second voice. "There ain't any more electric light globes to throw."

There is a winsome, dainty little actress at the Aragon who has won the love of every person in the hotel, and whose merry laugh and pretty face will be missed for many a long day when she leaves.

This is Miss Pauline Welch, of the Fawcett company, a young lady who, though just 8 years of age, has already achieved several triumphs on the stage.

Little Pauline plays the part of Willie Carlysle, the child role in "East Lynne," now on at the Bijou. It is a part that gives her only a small chance of displaying her talents, but she makes the most of her opportunities and handles the character splendidly.

The wee actress is from Baltimore, and her mother travels with her. Her first appearance in public was as an elocutionist soon after the Maine was blown up in Havana harbor, and she at that time recited patriotic pieces. She has been with the Fawcett company for two seasons and has appeared with other companies as well.

Off the stage she is as natural and childish as any youngster of the nursery, and at almost any hour of the day she may be seen playing and romping about the hotel with other children there.

"She studies a great deal, too," said Mrs. Welch yesterday, "for I do not intend that her education shall be neglected, but the stage is to be her avocation, and I think she will be all the better actress for having begun as a child."

Colonel Sandford H. Cohen has been appointed advertising representative for Carolina's famous coast resort, the Isle of Palms. Colonel Cohen was connected with the Cotton States and International exposition held several years ago in Atlanta and has brought south many big attractions. He declares that he proposes to make the Isle of Palms the most popular coast resort between New Jersey and Florida.

Colonel Cohen was for a number of years in the newspaper business. He is known throughout Georgia and in several adjoining states as a hustler, and he will hereafter devote his services, as advertising agent of the Consolidated railroad of Charleston, to exploiting the advantages offered by the Isle of Palms as a summer resort. All who know him recognize his special aptitude for such work.

Colonel Henry C. Tennant, of Holyoke, Mass., a well-known traveling man, is at the Piedmont. Said he yesterday:

"I was a tent mate of General Lewis, who used to be postmaster of Atlanta years ago. This is the first time I've been in Atlanta since his death, and my coming has brought back a flood of old and precious memories."

During the day Colonel Tennant called on Postmaster Blodgett, just to talk over the old days, he said, and Colonel Blodgett proved a willing listener.

Willie Freear, the English actor, who is stopping at the Piedmont, will give a performance in the convention hall of the hotel Saturday evening. Manager Zimmer is his sponsor.

W. C. Culpepper, a well-known young Greenville business man, is spending a few days in the city.

Hamilton Yancy, of Rome, is a guest at the Piedmont.

G. W. Edwards, a leading Toccoa merchant, and his wife are at the Kimball for a few days.

W. F. Williams, of the Seaboard Air Line, is at the Aragon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Barkert, of Toledo, Ohio, are spending a few days at the Aragon.

L. C. Hulburt and wife, of Massena, N. Y., are registered at the Aragon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Pharr, of LaGrange, and W. P. Thompson and B. M. Stallworth, of the same city, are at the Piedmont.

Robert S. Barrett, of the City of Mexico, was among yesterday's arrivals at the Kimball.

Dr. J. C. Montgomery, of Augusta, is at the Piedmont.

Captain D. G. Purse, of Savannah, is registered at the Kimball.

J. W. Elder, of Bakersfield, Cal., is at the Kimball.

BIG SALE OF PROPERTY TODAY

First Methodist Church Site Will Be Auctioned To Highest Bidder.

Today at noon will occur the auction sale of the First Methodist church site. This sale is attracting more attention, perhaps, than any sale of a single piece of real estate that has taken place in Atlanta in some time. There will be a large crowd of Atlanta business men and capitalists present and it is not at all improbable that quite a few will be here from elsewhere.

This lot is on Peachtree, Pryor and Houston streets, and is as well located for business as any lot in that section of the city. It has been divided into eight smaller lots, and whoever buys the first one may have the option of the entire property at the same rate. All the particulars relating to the sale and any explanation desired will be made prior to the beginning of the auction. The old building will be sold at an early date to some contracting firm to be torn down and removed from the premises.

CHILD TORTURER IS FINED

John Earl Must Pay $1,000 for His Brutality.

St. Louis, April 22.—John Earle, who was arrested yesterday for torturing two children whom he had adopted, was today fined $1,000 by Judge Pollard in the court of criminal correction, and in default of the fine was sent to the work house.

Testimony showed that Earle, who is a showman, beat with sticks and strips of leather and burned with a hot iron little George and Florence Migge, whom he attempted to train for an acrobatic show. The children were in a horrible condition when rescued by the police.

Military Feature To Be Abolished.

Montgomery, Ala., April 22.—(Special.) The board of trustees of the state university yesterday passed a resolution giving President Abercrombie power to abolish the military feature of the school. It was learned today that President Abercrombie will likely abolish this old-time custom of the university.

Escape of Convict.

Montgomery, Ala., April 22.—(Special.) The convict bureau received notice today that Hal Finley, a convict at the camp of W. W. Varn, at Sanford, Ala., has escaped. Fifty dollars reward is offered for his capture. He was sent up for fifteen years for arson and had served eight months.



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NEW HOSPITAL TO BE ERECTED

Mrs. McEachern Makes Offer To Woman's Society.

She Will Duplicate Any Sum Raised by Society Up To $10,000 for Memorial Hospital—Proposition Accepted with Enthusiasm.

Another hospital will soon be added to those already in existence in Atlanta.

It is to be given by Mrs. John N. McEachern, of 174 Oglethorpe avenue, West End, jointly with the Woman's Home Mission Society, and will be known as the "Florine McEachern" hospital.

The terms of Mrs. McEachern's generous gift to the city require that the Home Mission Society shall raise one half the funds necessary to equip the institution properly and operate it successfully.

It will be remembered that Mrs. McEachern recently lost a lovely daughter, Florine, and it is to her memory that the new hospital is to be erected.

During the meeting of the Woman's Home Mission Society yesterday afternoon in Trinity church, Mrs. McEachern, who is a member of Park Street Methodist church, in West End, arose and stated that she had a proposition to make to the society, and after some explanatory remarks she stated to the convention that she had decided to offer to them the opportunity to do a work of real charity in Atlanta. Outlining her plan, she said that she would duplicate any amount raised by the Home Mission Society, up to $10,000, for the purpose of establishing a hospital in this city, her only stipulation being that it should be called after the name of her deceased daughter.

The members of the convention at once accepted the offer, and the various branches of the society will go to work immediately to raise a sum sufficient to get the hospital. It is quite probable that this hospital, when completed, will be used for a children's hospital. The Mission Society will turn over the proceeds of their "children's mite box" contributions to this fund, and will inaugurate a regular method of collecting for this purpose.

It is expected that the money will be raised without any trouble whatever, and that the hospital will be an established fact in the near future.

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PALACE HOME FOR BROKERS

Members of New York Stock Exchange in New Building.

New York, April 22.—The members of the New York exchange abandoned business today and devoted themselves to the ceremonies incident to the dedication of their handsome new building. After prayer by the Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix, of Trinity church, Ransom H. Thomas, chairman of the building committee, formally handed the new building over to Donald McKay, president of the New York stock exchange building commission, who in turn formally presented it to Rudolph Kepper, president of the exchange, for the use of the members. In accepting the building Mr. Kepper said:

"It is hardly necessary to allude to the ever increasing importance and growth of our institution; its purposes are so closely interwoven with the very lifeblood of the many sided activities and interests of the people, both in the business world and outside of it, that the facilities afforded by the New York stock exchange may be well called a public necessity."

An address by Mayor Low on behalf of the citizens and invited guests followed and then the members and their guests, including many men prominent in financial and business circles, were shown through the building. Among the invited guests were the president and secretary of the consolidated exchange, the New York cotton exchange thus for the first time recognizing that institution. The members of the consolidated exchange sent their well wishes with a large floral piece containing five hundred American Beauty roses. The board room, where the dedicatory ceremonies were held, was crowded long before the hour set for the opening, and the guests were entertained with music by bands and orchestras. The brokerage offices in the financial district were closed and flags floated from flag staffs in honor of the event.

The new building, which looks small beside the skyscrapers by which it is surrounded, presents a striking appearance with its massive and beautifully carved stone pillars and decorations. The interior has been arranged looking to the comfort in every way possible of the members. An impregnable vault has been built for the safety of the securities, the heating, cooling and ventilating arrangements are perfect and the board and other rooms are large, comfortable and prettily decorated. The building, which fronts on Broad street, extends through to New street, with an opening on Wall street as in the old building. In the construction of it, it was found necessary to go 42 feet below the level of Broad street. In the cellar of the exchange are the vaults of safe deposit companies and the plants for the cooling and heating of the building.

The members will be warmed in winter by a constant flow of warm air. In summer the coolest spot in the city outside of a cold storage ware house will be the stock exchange, which will be kept at a low temperature.

The board room, in which trading is done, is 144 by 129 feet and is 74 1-2 feet to the ceiling. Into this will go fresh air at the rate of 12,000,000 cubic feet a minute, while exhaust pipes will draw off the foul air.

The luncheon club, secretary's offices and other offices connected with the exchange are on the floors above. The members saw these for the first time today, as the building committee saw to it that no inspection of the building was made by members before everything was ready today.

PRIZES FIXED FOR MARKSMEN

Secretary Root Approves Proceedings of the Board.

Washington, April 22.—Secretary Root today approved the proceedings of the board appointed to prescribe tests to govern awards of a national marksmanship trophy and of medals and other prizes for marksmanship. The national match is to be shot on September 8 and 9, 1903, at Sea Girt, N. J., and will be open to teams of twelve men from the following:

The army of the United States, one team from the troops stationed within each of the military departments; the United States navy; the United States marine corps; the national guard, or uniformed militia of the several states and territories, including the District of Columbia (one from each state or territory).

The prizes are to be:

First, the team making the highest aggregate total in two days' contest, "The National Trophy" (authorized by act of congress), to be competed for annually, $1,000, and cash, $500; second, the team making the second highest total, "The Hilton Trophy," and cash, $300; third, the team making the third highest total, the bronze "Soldier of Marathan," presented by the commander in chief on behalf of the state of New York, and cash, $200; fourth, the team making the fourth highest, cash $150; fifth highest, $100; sixth highest $50. Also, a medal to each member of each winning team.

Among the recommendations of the board are the following:

That the national guard and militia be invited to shoot in department competitions with the regular troops each year for the same prizes for the regular shoot, and that the men of the national guard and militia sent to these competitions be taken from the states in the geographical limits of the departments where the competitions are held.

That the national guard of the several states be permitted to use the United States rifle range for practice at such dates as may not interfere with their use by the army and marine corps.

That the contest for the national trophy in 1904 shall be at some rifle range in the middle west.

That every facility should be offered citizens outside of the army and organized militia to become proficient in rifle shooting and that this purpose can be best accomplished by means of rifle clubs.

This board gives its hearty approval and indorsement to the sending of a military team to Bisley to compete for the foreign trophies and urges on the patriotic citizens of this country to give it their financial support.

H. V. Lester, senior member of the stock brokerage firm of Lester, Kneeland & Co., of New York and Chicago, is dead of pneumonia.

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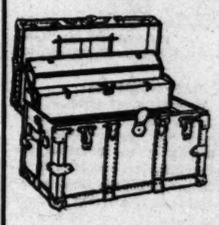
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SOCIETY

Gentry-Pepper.

THE wedding of Miss Mary Bell Gentry and Lieutenant Kelton Lyon Pepper took place yesterday afternoon at half after 5 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gentry, East Pine street.

Rev. Alonzo Monk, of St. Mark's church, performed the impressive ceremony, which was witnessed by the relatives and assemblage of three hundred friends.

Mr. L. Say Wilson was best man and Miss Willie Gentry maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Ethel Walker, of Griffin, and Miss Edwina Davis, of Albany.

The ceremony was performed in the drawing room, which in its mural decorations of green and wood work of old ivory was a fitting framework for the bridal party, who stood before a bank of potted Easter lilies and asparagus ferns.

The Easter lily in its stately grace was evident on all sides, while bride roses and buds banked the mantels and cabinets. Smilax was twined up on the chandeliers, and hung from the woodwork of the arched doorways and windows.

The color scheme of white and green prevailed in the floral decorations throughout the house, palms and potted plants being used, with a lavish array of cut flowers in white.

The bride's table was ideal in its suggestions of simplicity and purity. The centerpiece was a large basket of Easter lilies, the blooms of the lilies showing through the veil-like foliage of the asparagus fern. The handle of the basket, covered with the fern, was caught here and there with clusters of the lilies, and loveknots of tulle.

Silver candlesticks placed about the baskets had their shades of white and silver, and the bon-bons were in white and green.

Buchanan's orchestra added to the brilliance of the wedding, which in every detail was one of the most elaborate and artistic of the season.

The bride wore an exquisite toilet of white panne crepe simply but elegantly fashioned, the corsage trimmed in rose point lace of rare and exquisite pattern. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and the conventional tulle veil entirely enveloped her graceful figure.

The maid of honor and bridesmaids wore dainty toilets of white chiffon lace trimmed and carried shower bouquets of pink carnations.

Mrs. Gentry, the mother of the bride, wore black lace over white satin.

Mrs. Fenton Allen Gentry, of Chattanooga, wore a becoming gray crepe de chine.

Mrs. Walter Franklin Williams, of Portsmouth, Va., wore black embroidered panne crepe with corsage trimmings of rose point lace, in the meshes of which sparkled handsome diamond ornaments.

After the brilliant reception, Lieutenant Pepper and his bride left on the evening train for a bridal trip west, Mr. Pepper's regiment at present being stationed in Oklahoma.

The bride is the elder daughter of Mr. W. T. Gentry, one of Atlanta's most prominent citizens. She is beautiful and accomplished and the fact that her new home is in the far west deprives Atlanta's social circles of a charming and popular member.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Waller Franklin Williams, of Portsmouth, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Allen Gentry, of Chattanooga; Mr. Thomas Gentry, of Athens; Mr. M. J. Gentry, of Richmond; Mrs. Montague, Richmond; Mr. Morgan J. Speer, Charlotte, N. C.; Mr. W. F. Williamson, Montgomery, Ala.

Lawn Party.

ON Friday afternoon from 5 to 7 o'clock the senior class of the Prather Home school will entertain their friends at a lawn party at the home of Mrs. John S. Prather, on West Peachtree.

The occasion will be one of the pleasantest events of the week and the guests will be entertained with delightful hospitality by the members of the senior class, who include Miss Adelaide Allen, Miss Louise Cobb, Miss Susie Sawtell, Miss Edith Tanner, Miss Georgia Watts, Miss Cecile Hollis, Miss Margaret Barnes and Miss Louise Watts, Miss Tyler.

The invited guests are Misses Nellie Ernest, Eloise Pittman, Caroline Perdue, Edna Avery, Annie Miller, Pansy Spencer, Luella Malsby, Mae Archer, Ben Debenery, Janet Tompkins, Bessie Tompkins, Mary Deas Tupper, Emma Belle Stephens, Helen Angier, Florine Richardson, Nena Mae Henderson, Elle Goode, Pearl Peck, Laura Witham, Kate Robinson, Mary D. Woodward, Ruth Holcomb, Gertrude Westmoreland, Lillian Barrow, Mrs. Forrest Greene, Mrs. Emma Marbut, Misses Marguerite Brown, Mary and Emma Edwards, Nellie Nix, Bernina Dugas, Eloise Tyler, Louise Harris, Byron Clarke, Florence Hobbs, Mary Aldredge, Laura Burt, Meta Leinkouf, Ruth Johnston, Mrs. H. H. Cobb, Mrs. Helen Orchard, Mrs. J. M. Stephens, Mrs. N. B. O'Kelley, Misses Clondia Patterson, Bessie Hanna, Louise Baird, Mrs. C. C. Hanson, Mrs. Genie Orchard Stovall, Misses Cora Toombs, Mary and Martha Mitchell, Mary Fraser, Pearl Morris, Mamie Conliff, Elizabeth Morgan, Jane Swann Thornton, Helen Payne, Laura Hill Payne, Mary Williamson, Elia May Thornton and Minnie Van Epps.

Langston-Morrow.

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS L. LANGSTON announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Goddard, to Mr. Gilham Hoyle Morrow, the marriage to take place Wednesday evening, June 10, at the home of the bride-elect on Peachtree.

Interesting Programme.

THE Daughters of the Confederacy will hold an interesting meeting tomorrow which it is expected will be largely attended. The feature of the occasion will be an address by Rt. Rev. B. J. Kelley, bishop of Savannah. A large body of veterans will be present and they will sing "We Are Old-Time Confederates," their chorus led by Captain Tip Harrison. The other musical numbers will be as follows:

Song by the quartette, Mrs. W. S. Yeates, Miss Lovelace, Mr. J. G. Scrutchin, Mr. Llewellyn Scott.

Song—Mr. Thomas Flynn.

Songs—(a) "O That We Two Were Maying," Gounod; (b) "I Walt for Thee," Hawley—Miss Louise Dooly.

Group of Songs—(a) "Little Boy Blue;" (b) "Obstination," Pencenalles; (c) "Love Me If I Live," Foote—Mrs. Mary O'Brien.

Jones-Roberts.

MR. A. E. JONES, of Cordele, and Miss Alma Roberts, of 66 East Georgia avenue, were married last night at 7 o'clock at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Culpepper. The groom travels for a prominent firm of this city, and the bride is very popular among her circle of friends. They took the 8:45 o'clock train for Macon, and will make their home in Cordele.

Whist Benefit.

The whist party which will be given this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. D. Kaufman, 220 South Pryor street, for the benefit of the Hebrew Orphans' Home, will be an enjoyable occasion.

A number of pretty prizes will be given and delicious refreshments will be served during the afternoon. It is expected that a large crowd will attend and assist in making a success of the occasion.

Meetings.

The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian church will meet Thursday, April 23, at 3:30 with Mrs. John L. Moore, 379 Jackson street. Mrs. Emmons, president of the Florence Crittenton home, will describe the work of the institution. Any one interested is cordially invited to attend.

The Atlanta Willard Woman's Christian Temperance Union cordially invites every one interested in the work of the organization to the meetings held every Thursday afternoon in the parlor of the American Baptist Publication Society, 69 Whitehall street.

There will be a meeting this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock of the Atlanta chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy. All members who have not paid dues are requested to do so.

Members of West End hive of the Ladies of the Maccabees of the World and all others interested in the work are requested to meet Mrs. Rose Y. Colvin at Mrs. Gertrude Daniel's, 147 Gordon street, Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Reviewers will be held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Carnegie library. Officers will be elected at this meeting.

MISS LEONA PATTERSON WEDS MR. TILLER, JUNE 10



MISS LEONA PATTERSON, OF BAINBRIDGE, GA.
Her Engagement to Mr. T. H. Tiller Is Announced, the Wedding To Occur June 10.

BAINBRIDGE, GA., April 21.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Filmore Patterson announce the engagement of their daughter, Lena, to Mr. T. H. Tiller.

Miss Patterson is one of the most charming and popular young ladies of Bainbridge and her coming marriage will be heard of with much interest by her friends throughout the state. She is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. L. F. Patterson, of this place, who is extensively engaged in the brick industry. Miss Patterson attended Mrs. Thornbury's school for young ladies, in Atlanta, and graduated at Washington seminary, in Atlanta, in 1901. Mr. Tiller is a progressive and successful young business man of this city and is the son of Mr. J. W. Tiller, a well-known citizen of Carlton, Ga.

As president of the Georgia Pine Lumber Company, Mr. Tiller is well and favorably known throughout this entire section. The marriage will take place June 10. The honeymoon will be spent in St. Louis, Chicago and other western cities.

SWINDAL-PENN.

Tifton, Ga., April 2.—(Special.)—Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, in East Macon, at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Belle Flowers, Miss Etta Penn and Mr. Daniel L. Swindal, of Tifton, were united in marriage by the pastor of East Macon Methodist church. The young couple left Tifton Sunday morning on a visit to Mrs. Flowers, and while there decided that they would get married, having been engaged for some time. Miss Penn was formerly from Monticello, Ga., but has resided in Tifton for the past two years. She is a charming and accomplished young lady, and is loved by all of her acquaintances. She is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Penn. Mr. Swindal is the popular and efficient freight clerk at the Georgia Southern railroad, and moved here the first of the year from Tampa, Fla. He has made many friends during his stay in Tifton, and the young couple are being congratulated by all, who wish them happiness and prosperity.

Social Items.

Miss Taylor, of Ohio, who has been the guest of Mrs. Rutherford Lipscomb, left yesterday for home.

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Mr. J. W. Beam is in Chicago.

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Mr. Frank Butt, of Augusta, is in the city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Meador will entertain at a buffet supper Monday evening in compliment to Mrs. Darlington and the Misses Darlington, of Westchester, Pa.

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Mrs. Frank S. Ellis entertains at luncheon Friday in honor of Miss Julia Lowry Taylor.

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Charles Harman Black, Jr., is the name of the son welcomed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black yesterday.

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Mrs. J. Eiseman left yesterday for Montgomery, Ala., where she is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Sidney Winter.

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Mr. Tom Gentry came over from Athens yesterday to attend the Gentry-Pepper wedding.

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Mrs. W. H. Meacham, of Chattanooga, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. C. M. Lemke, on Georgia avenue. Mrs. Meacham returns home the first of May for the May festival to be held in Chattanooga. She will have as her guests several young ladies from Atlanta.

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Mrs. Hugh McKee entertained the Wednesday Whist Club yesterday morning.

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Mrs. J. Lindsay Johnson has returned to Rome.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Riverton, of Florida, are in the city.

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Mr. Sam T. Johnson, of Texas, was in the city yesterday.

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Invitations have been received to the marriage of Miss Gertrude Jackson to Mr. Walter Sullivan Cothran, May 7, in Athens, Ga.

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The junior class of the Washington seminary will entertain the members of the senior class at a flinch party on Friday afternoon.

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Mrs. Edward Durant will entertain the members of the Wednesday Card Club this morning at her home on Juniper street.

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Dr. and Mrs. Moncrief will remain in the city ten days longer, as the doctor's leave of absence has been extended. He is on his way to San Antonio to join the First infantry, which sails the 1st of June for the Philippines.

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Mrs. Julia M. Gale is the guest of her daughter in Tennessee.

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Mr. Russell Hopkins leaves Friday for a fishing trip in south Georgia.

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Mr. E. Waldron has been confined to his room for several days, but is slightly better today.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Lawson Peel left last night for a fishing trip in south Georgia.

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The Inman Park Literary Circle will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Zahner.

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Miss Adelaide Allen will entertain the senior class of the Prather home school at a delightful entertainment some time in May at her home on North avenue.

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Mrs. Richard C. Lane, of Virginia, who has been spending several days in the city, left yesterday for Florida.

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Mr. Benjamin M. Hastings has returned to Philadelphia.

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Miss Louise Eastman has returned to her home in San Antonio, Tex.

INSURANCE NOTES.

According to The Prospect, the Sun Life Assurance Company, of Canada, is the only foreign corporation doing insurance business in the south. The manager of this company, John S. Cameron, is also third vice president of the National Association of Life Underwriters, and has recently attended the annual or semi-annual meeting of that association in Hartford, Conn. While there the association was tendered a banquet and reception by the local companies and local association.

John W. Harris, who has until recently been with the Fidelity, has been appointed special agent of the Penn Mutual, at Pelham, Ga.

President Philip H. Farley, of the National Association of Life Underwriters, has been quite active in getting new associations organized in those states and cities which heretofore have had none, and the association has shown great growth under his administration.

Walker Taylor, of Wilmington, N. C., who does a large insurance business, representing a dozen companies of fire insurance, is in Atlanta for a short stay.

S. J. Boykin, of Carrollton, Ga., representing the Equitable at that point, came up yesterday, and states that he "voted for bonds."

E. J. Connell, district agent for the Penn Mutual, is in Atlanta.

The Pressed Steel Car Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on the common stock and the second quarterly installment of one-quarter of 1 per cent of the extra dividend of 1 per cent recently authorized.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw was in New York yesterday and paid a short visit to the custom house.

TO MEET NEXT IN KANSAS CITY

Woman's Home Mission Society Elects Officers and Adjourns.

The Woman's Home Mission Society held its final session in Atlanta yesterday afternoon and adjourned to meet next in Kansas City, Mo. Officers for the ensuing term were elected at the afternoon session, all the old officers being reelected as follows:

Miss Belle H. Bennett, Richmond, Ky., president.

Mrs. J. D. Hammond, Nashville, Tenn., second vice president.

Mrs. B. F. Carroll, Georgetown, Tex., first vice president.

Mrs. R. W. MacDonell, Nashville, Tenn., general secretary.

Mrs. W. D. Kirkland, Nashville, Tenn., general treasurer.

Miss Emily M. Allen, Macon, Ga., recording secretary.

Auditing Committee—James H. Kirkland, chancellor Vanderbilt university, Nashville; D. M. Smith, Publishing House M. E. Church South, Nashville; Will Cain, Mrs. W. J. Vaughn, Mrs. J. H. Yarbrough.

Editors—Miss Mary Helm, editor and agent of Our Home; Mrs. John D. Hammond, Nashville, Tenn., editor of Leaflets.

Superintendents of Departments—Department of mountain work, Miss Belle H. Bennett, Richmond, Ky., superintendent; department of Cuban work, Miss M. W. Bruce, Key West, Fla., superintendent; department of supplies, Mrs. J. H. Yarbrough, Nashville, Tenn., superintendent; department of tithing, Mrs. W. C. Ratcliffe, 1432 Gaylord street, Denver, Colo., superintendent; department of Chinese and Japanese work on the Pacific coast, Mrs. C. Price Brown, superintendent; Mrs. W. H. Johnson, financial agent of the Dallas Mission home, Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. Hammond was changed from first to second vice president at her own request. This was the only change made in the list of officers. One new department was created, that of literature and press work, and Mrs. Luke E. Johnson, of Atlanta, was made superintendent of this work. A committee on resolutions was appointed and thanked those who had entertained them, the press and the public of Atlanta generally, stating that they had never been more royally entertained in any city in which the society has ever held a convention. The ladies of the society have had a pleasant and profitable session here and regret to leave. A standing invitation to the society to meet in Atlanta was given by the local churches.

The Saving of a Few cents on a bottle of Vanilla Extract will not atone for the annoyance of having dessert that is "just a little off" in flavor. Always buy Burnett's.

TROUTMAN HOMESTEAD BURNS

Handsome Residence, Near Rome, Destroyed by Flames.

Rome, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The handsome Troutman homestead, on Armuchee creek, near Rome, was completely destroyed by fire this afternoon, with its entire contents. This home has long been famous for its hospitality and scores of Georgians will learn of its destruction with much sorrow. Loss about $5,000; practically no insurance.

There Are Normal Schools

for teachers of literary branches, but no school where the teacher of music or elocution may study methods during vacation. Brenau conservatory, Gainesville, Ga., will open its summer session on June 24. A complete normal course under an experienced teacher. The course will be especially helpful to young teachers. If you are interested in the study of piano, organ, voice or oratory, write A. W. Van Hoose or H. J. Pearce, Gainesville, Ga., for full information.

Excursion Rates to Savannah, Ga., and Return, Via Central of Georgia Railway, Account Southern Baptist Convention, May 7-14, 1903.

The Central of Georgia Railway will sell round trip tickets to Savannah on May 5, 6 and 7, limited to May 20, 1903, at one fare, plus 25 cents. By depositing tickets with joint agent at Savannah, and paying fee of 50 cents, extension of final limit may be had until June 1, 1903.

Through sleeping cars from Augusta, Atlanta, Macon, Columbus, Ga., and Birmingham, Ala., to Savannah; double daily trains between Atlanta, Macon and Savannah; parlor cars on day trains; sleeping cars on night trains.

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Dr. Edmondson's Sarsaparilla	50c
Dr. Edmondson's Beef, Iron and Wine	50c
Dr. Edmondson's Laxative Grippe Tablets	15c
Dr. Edmondson's Eczema Cure	50c
Dr. Edmondson's Tansy, Pennyroyal and Cotton Root Pills	50c

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POSTUM COFFEE

COW SENSE

People Get Willful



A cow or horse or even a dog will refuse to eat or drink what the animal knows to be harmful, but mankind will persist in pouring in coffee even after having been fully assured that it is steadily killing him. Once in a while they wake up and do the sensible thing.

A lady says: "Why will people wait as long as I did, when it is so easy to save oneself the suffering caused by coffee drinking? After using coffee several years I discovered that I was breaking down nervously. I consulted several doctors, but in spite of everything steadily grew worse.

"One physician advised me to quit coffee, and I tried quitting by the use of will power, but every time it was a miserable failure.

"My stomach was in dreadful shape, and I was unable to sleep at night, nervous prostration set in and I became barely able to drag about.

"One day while visiting a minister's wife, a motherly old lady, she proposed to give me a cup of coffee, the kind she had been using three times a day for three years. So she brought out a cup of the most fragrant, delicious beverage. It was coffee and it was not coffee. I tried it and was eager to know how it was made.

"She said: 'Five years ago I was affected much as you are, but I quit drinking coffee and began using Postum Food Coffee, and that produced the result you see and restored me to health.'

"She said a lot more, and when I went home I got a box of Postum and began using it. Such a soothing effect took place and I began sleeping nights and felt a relief from my awful nervous tension. Gradually and surely I got well, and now I feel as strong and healthy as a woman should at my age, with all my oldtime energy restored. I earnestly entreat all coffee drinkers to change to Postum. What is the use of suffering day and night because of some paltry coffee, when one has but to leave it off and use Postum to be well. And I think any one will agree with me that health is worth everything else—money, property or fame." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

BOILER BURSTS THREE MEN DEAD

Explosion Caused by Lowness of Water in Boiler.

Head of Luther George Torn from Body—George Shore Crushed To Death Under Lumber. William Scalded to Death.

Winston-Salem, N. C., April 22.—The boiler at Shore and Moser saw mill, near Bethania, exploded today, killing three men and injuring another. The dead:

GEORGE T. SHORE, one of the mill owners, married.

LUTHER GEORGE, single.

WILLIAM LOGAN, married.

Injured, but not seriously, Samuel Moser.

Luther George, who was loading lumber at the time of the explosion, was struck by a piece of the boiler, his head torn from his body and flung upon a pile of lumber. Shore was crushed under a mass of falling timber. Logan was scalded to death.

Part of the boiler was blown 300 feet. The explosion was caused, it is thought, by low water in the boiler.

LEGAL TEST OF CONVICT LAW

Injunction Suit Against City Being Heard by Judge Lumpkin.

The hearing of the injunction suit instituted recently by the Chattahoochee Brick Company against the city of Atlanta, by which the company is seeking to enjoin the city from enforcing the ordinance prohibiting the use by the city of convict-made material, was begun yesterday before Judge J. H. Lumpkin in the superior court. The argument of counsel was in progress at the hour of adjournment and it is probable that the case will be concluded today.

The ordinance on which the fight is being made was passed by the city council during the latter part of last year and stipulates that no convict-made material shall be used by the city in the prosecution of public improvements. The company contends that the provisions of the ordinance are illegal and also alleges that the measure is in violation of the fourteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States.

After the passage of the ordinance the city advertised for bids for brick for sidewalk work for the year 1903 and the Chattahoochee Brick Company submitted a bid. This bid was accepted, but Mayor Howell declined to sign the contract on the ground that the ordinance barred the company from furnishing the brick, as it employs convict labor. The company then took the matter into the state courts, filing a bill of injunction and securing a temporary restraining order. Attorneys Ellis, Wimbish & Ellis represent the company, and City Attorney J. L. Mayson and Assistant City Attorney W. P. Hill represent the city.

BOOKS FOR THE UNIVERSITY

Donations to the Peabody Library by Father Bazin.

Athens, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Although the Peabody library of the University of Georgia has not yet been started, already a valuable collection of books has been donated to the new library.

Very Rev. L. Bazin, rector of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, in Atlanta, and vicar general of the diocese of Georgia, has generously presented sixteen volumes of the Centenary edition of the works of Balzac, in English, and also thirty-two volumes of the first edition of the great French encyclopedia, L'Encyclopedie, written by Diderot and other great scholars. The date of the first volume is 1751 and the succeeding volumes cover the following twenty years.

The university library committee hopes that other Georgians who have valuable works will follow the example set in this gift, and that a large collection of such books will be gathered in the new Peabody library building, where they will be thoroughly protected and so labeled that they will form a lasting memorial to the generosity of the donors.

CLAIMED BRIDE AND WAS KILLED

Robert Hill Shot Down by Father of His Sweetheart.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 22.—(Special.)—News from Pine Mountain, in Campbell county, says "Lafe" Chadwell shot and killed Robert Hill when the latter went to Chadwell's house to claim the daughter of Chadwell as his bride. It is said the young people were engaged to be married, but that Chadwell had objected. When Hill reached Chadwell's house words ensued, and Hill was shot and instantly killed. The dead man is said to have uttered threats against Chadwell's life before going to the house. Hill is said to have been a half brother of Lee Turner, of the "Quarter House" fame. Chadwell is known throughout Campbell county as the only man in his section of the county who championed the cause of the confederacy during the civil war.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF ALABAMA

Association Meeting at Huntsville Hear Reports.

Huntsville, Ala., April 22.—(Special.)—The Alabama Sunday School Association put in a full day's work today, holding three sessions. A sunrise prayer meeting was conducted by M. M. Sweatt, of Montgomery.

The features of the morning session were the annual reports of the president, Bunyan Davis, of Clayton, and the field organizer, Judge Carthel, of Montgomery. These reports showed gratifying progress in the work in many parts of Alabama.

The report of G. G. Miles, chairman of the executive committee, was read, and M. M. Sweatt read a report on finances.

Miss Mary E. Smith made an interesting report of the work of the home department.

In the afternoon J. B. Green, of Opelika, discussed superintendents' problems.

E. J. Russell, of Athens, made an address on order in the school, and T. H. Johnson, of Birmingham, followed on punctuality and regularity.

"Weak Points in Our Work" was the subject of an address by Dr. J. M. Pearson of Florence.

Marion Lawrence, international secretary, delivered an address tonight on "The Sunday School as a Business Investment." At the conclusion of this the sum of $2,015 was raised to carry on the work in Alabama. This is the greatest subscription for this purpose made by the association in recent years.

FISH STORIES FROM FLOYD

Sport Said To Be Finer Than for Several Years.

Rome, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Fishing in and around Rome is much better this year than it has been in ten years or more. A special act was passed by the legislature three years ago making it a misdemeanor to fish with anything other than a hook and line in the waters of any creek in this county for a period of five years and, as a consequence, the creeks are swarming with fish. E. L. Bosworth caught a 7-pound trout from Armerchee creek this morning and other fishermen report splendid sport. The doing away with the nets and the dynamiters has been a great thing for fishermen and sportsmen.

Survivors of Sultana.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 22.—(Special.)—The annual reunion of the Survivors of the Sultana will be held next Monday, April 27, at Everett Grove, in Blount county, near here. The Sultana was a government army transport that went down in the Mississippi river, a few miles above Memphis, April 27, 1865. The vessel was burned and several hundred lives were lost. It was loaded with federal soldiers coming home. Many of them were from east Tennessee. For several years reunions have been held annually.

MONEY FOR THE EXTENSION

Citizens of Rome Subscribing for Line to Lindale.

Rome, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The citizens' committee soliciting funds for the extension of the car line to Lindale have secured about $8,000 of the needed $15,000 to insure the success of the enterprise. The moment the last dollar is subscribed the car line people will commence work and put the matter through in a rush. There seems to be no doubt that the money will all be subscribed in a few days.

Carroll Court Adjourns.

Carrollton, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Carroll superior court came to an early close here yesterday after a little more than two weeks' session instead of the four weeks, which it has been accustomed to consume for some fifteen years.

Unqualified.

Judge: Fist South American—Faugh! Think of that man pretending to be a statesman! Why, he knows absolutely nothing of political economy.

Second South American—I should say he didn't. Why, he couldn't tell a revolution from a North American college

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JILTED WOMAN DRINKS POISON

Miss Morrison Couldn't Live Without Mrs. Blackmur's Husband.

New York, April 22.—When Miss Ida Morrison, a beautiful woman of 23, named as co-respondent in the divorce suit of Mrs. Rebecca A. Blackmur, against Horace Blackmur, learned from his lips that he and his wife had become reconciled, she drank the contents of a two-ounce vial of carbolic acid and is dying in a Brooklyn hospital.

Blackmur called on Miss Morrison last night and about a half hour later sent a messenger for a physician, who, upon his arrival, found that Blackmur had been administering warm milk with salt in it to Miss Morrison, in an effort to save her life. The doctor used a stomach pump and sent for an ambulanec and the young woman was taken to the hospital.

Mr. Blackmur told the physician that he talked with Miss Morrison for perhaps half an hour. Then she went to a medicine chest to take a dose of peppermint. According to his statement, she must have made a mistake, for she drank carbolic acid instead.

TWO OFFICERS SUSPENDED

They Entered Residence Searching for Contraband Liquor.

Columbia, S. C., April 22.—(Special.)—Following the recent sensational raid of the home of one of Charleston's most fashionable ladies by constables who were in search of contraband liquor, Governor Heyward yesterday issued a statement in which he deprecates the unfortunate occurrence, announcing the suspension of Division Chief Howle for ten days, and Chief Constable Hammett is reproved for his connection with the affair.

The governor states that his only reason for not taking more drastic measures in the matter is that Chief Hammett was unfamiliar with Charleston and its streets and ignorant of the fact that he was ordering Howie to raid a private residence.

No cessation, however, will be made in the vigorous enforcement of the dispensary law in Charleston and elsewhere.

BLOODLESS DUELS DON'T GO

Crime in Germany To Fight and Not Kill.

Berlin, April 22.—Two medical students, Boehme and Witt, have been sentenced by the criminal court to four months' imprisonment for fighting a bloodless duel with pistols Boehme averred that Witt purposely jostled him in the street, but a court of honor of university students' societies decided that a challenge was not necessary, as Witt was lame and probably did not mean to touch Boehme. Boehme, then, in the court of honor, slapped Witt, who struck him in return. The court of honor then decided that they must fight a duel with pistols as Boehme's right arm was weak from a recent saber affray.

PLANTING TREES IN LOWLANDS

North Carolina State Forester Making Preparations.

Will Plant Four Hundred Acres of Land with Pine, Walnut, Ash and Catapa — Good Roads Work in the Old North State.

Raleigh, N. C., April 22.—(Special.)—State Forester W. W. Ashe was interviewed today and said he would this week go to Caledonia, the great state farm on the Roanoke river, in Halifax county, to prepare the seed beds and put in the seed for 400 acres of trees in lands subject to overflow. It will be remembered that two years ago the low-lying part of this farm was abandoned after the great freshet. Here the forest trees are to be set out. Mr. Ashe says they embrace oak, pine, walnut, ash and catalpa. The pine will be the slash, or North Carolina, or short leaf, since it has three names.

Speaking of the destruction of timber in the state by the lumber companies, Mr. Ashe said some of the largest lumber companies were cutting timber in accordance with the best plans for forest conversion; in other words, are taking out the ripe timber and leaving that which is young, recognizing the fact that their timber lands can thus be made a permanent investment.

Professor Sykes, of the good roads bureau, is here, and was also interviewed. He says at least twenty counties are now building good roads. Some of the eastern counties are making them with mixed sand and clay, and with great success. Craven is doing this. New Hanover is using phosphate rock, but the question is whether the latter will prove durable. Goldsboro is building a mile of very wide street, at a cost of $15,000, using a very hard and particularly fine blue granite which is found on the railway at Elm City, in Wilson county.

Pleased with Outlook.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner has returned from his educational tour. He says there is great and growing interest in rural public education. On his tour there were big crowds everywhere, at Dobson perhaps the largest of all. He finds that school houses in the back country are improving, and so is the spirit for their improvement. Mount Airy now has a 25 cents additional school tax and will soon vote on an increase of the rate to 33 1-3 cents. All along the line the outlook is hopeful. Something which particularly interested Governor Aycock and Superintendent Joyner was the issuance of a circular by L. Banks Holt, of Graham, calling on his employees in his mills to turn out and hear the speeches, and urging them to vote for local aid to schools. He is the largest taxpayer, and in this way showed his zeal and his interest. He gave a holiday to his employees so they could hear the speeches.

Superintendent Joyner says $500 is now available for new rural public school libraries and the improvement of those already established. Applications for libraries are now coming in. By the time the school term begins many new ones will be established. There are now 475, and he thinks in eighteen months the number will be doubled. The amended school law requires that the books for the libraries shall be selected from a list furnished by the state superintendent. Mr. Joyner has been attending a meeting at which arrangements were perfected for the campaign which the southern education board will make in this state. This board is now preparing a hand book for special use in this state. All the work along this important line will be done in conjunction with the state board or executive board for North Carolina and the state superintendent. It is very plain that this is to be made a great year for education in North Carolina.

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DR. FINLEY TO MAKE ADDRESS

Princeton Professor To Deliver Baccalaureate at Athens.

Athens, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Dr. John H. Finley, who is at the head of the department of politics in the Princeton university, will deliver the baccalaureate address at the University of Georgia next commencement. The invitation to Dr. Finley was extended by the chancellor a few weeks ago, and he has just notified the chancellor that he would accept.

Dr. Finley is one of the most eminent educators in the country, and is an orator of pronounced ability. He is a deep scholar and well versed in all the great questions of the day.

Preparations for Memorial Day.

Valdosta, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Valdosta chapter Daughters of the Confederacy are arranging a very fine Memorial day programme, and the indications are that the day will be more generally observed here than ever before. Major J. O. Varnedoe will act as marshal of the day and will have charge of the parade, composed of the Valdosta Videttes, Confederate veterans, citizens and school children. Rev. L. R. Christie will deliver the memorial address.

FLASHES FROM THE CABLE.

Dispatches from various parts of Galicia report that the bodies of fifteen persons who were frozen to death during Sunday's snow storm have been found in snow drifts. A number of people are still missing.

The Vienna Post reports the arrest of a Hungarian soldier in connection with an alleged plot among Hungarian troops to murder Emperor Francis Joseph during the military maneuvers.

Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia is to take the battle ship squadron to Spanish waters May 3, with barely sufficient coal to reach a prearranged latitude and longitude. There the warships will fill their bunkers from colliers. This is intended to be a test of high sea coaling in the most complete form.

The engagement is announced of Frances, daughter of Fitz Hugh Whitehouse, formerly of Chicago, and Baron Constantin Ramsay, a gentleman in waiting to the czar. The marriage will take place soon.



One of the essentials of the happy homes of to-day is a fund of information as to right living and the best methods of promoting health and happiness. With proper knowledge, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and are of not less value than the using of the most wholesome foods and the selecting of the best medicinal agents when needed. With the well-informed, medicinal agents are used only when nature needs assistance and while the importance of cleansing the system effectually, when bilious or constipated, has long been known, yet until within recent years it was necessary to resort to oils, salts, extracts of roots, barks and other cathartics which were found to be objectionable and to call for constantly increased quantities.

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SPARKS FROM THE WIRE.

At Toronto, Ontario, delegates from the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners and from the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners appeared before the executive committee of the American Federation of Labor, relative to the amalgamation of both organizations as directed by the New Orleans convention. This was taken under advisement.

Arbor day was observed throughout Nebraska and by the schools was given special attention. At Nebraska City, the home of the late J. Sterling Morton, special exercises were held. At Lincoln Governor Mickey and the state officials planted trees from Arbor Lodge, the home of Mrs. Morton, on the state house grounds, and set apart an inclosure to be known as "Morton Circle."

The Sigma Nu Phi, the new Greek letter law fraternity, has granted a charter to a chapter of the University of Indiana and has received an acceptance of honorary membership from President Roosevelt. Applications for charters are under consideration from the Universities of Michigan, Texas and Kansas, the Leland Stanford University of California and Wesleyan of Ohio and Tulane, of New Orleans.

At Somerville, N. J., a committee of the strikers on the estate of James V. Duke, president of the American Tobacco Company, had a conference with Mr. Duke. Mr. Duke told the committee he would not under any circumstances reemploy the men who had caused trouble at the farm. He agreed to increase the wages of the stonemasons and they returned to work.

At New York The Daily America Publishing Company, publishers, have applied to the supreme court for voluntary dissolution. Capital stock $100,000; liabilities, $35,845; assets, $24,495.

At La Crosse, Wis., fire completely destroyed the Park store, the largest in western Wisconsin, and did much damage to surrounding buildings, causing a loss of approximately $50,000. The fire started in a mysterious manner in the rear of the store and within thirty minutes after the fire was discovered the entire plant was ablaze.

At Indianapolis, Ind., fire did $25,000 damage to the Mahan Tailoring building, at corner of Meridian and Washington streets, and $10,000 to the Haerle dry goods store, next door.

Stuyvesant Fish has been installed as rumber six in the regular 'varsity eight of Yale, taking the place of Miller, who has been dropped to the second boat. For two years the son of the Illinois Central railroad president has accepted the drudgery that goes with a season's training for a dim prospect of finally wearing a "Y."

It is officially announced by President Loree that the Baltimore and Ohio railroad management has authorized the ordering of 100 or 150 new locomotives to accommodate the increased transportation demands.

The safe in the postoffice of Michigantown, Ind., was blown to pieces with dynamite and the contents stolen shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday morning. The robbery was committed by two masked men, after they had held up Dr. Charles Zinn, who was passing the postoffice. Citizens fired on the robbers, but they escaped.

The National Academy of Sciences has elected Dr. Ira Remsen, president of the Johns Hopkins university, vice president, and filled the position of foreign secretary vacated by Dr. Remsen by electing Professor Simon Newcomb.

Four bodies of the passengers who were killed in the wreck on the Erie railroad at Redhouse, N. Y., have been identified. They were Mrs. Sarah A. Moore, aged 62; Mrs. Nellie N. Wilson, aged 48, and Dora Lynch, aged 11 years, all of Manning, W. Va. The identification was established by means of a watch case found near the bodies.

At Chicago, a formal order of default has been entered by Judge Grosscup against the packers who have failed to answer the government's anti-trust bill. The final order of injunction was not entered against the defendants owing to the absence of District Attorney Bethea from the city. It is expected that the packers will appeal when the final order is entered.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Michigan Central Railroad Company, held yesterday, a committee was appointed to negotiate a new contract with the Canada Southern Railway Company covering the annual divisions of earnings between the two companies.

The Northern Securities Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1-4 per cent, payable on May 4.

GIRL ABDUCTED BY VICIOUS GANG

Young Thugs Cause Reign of Terror in New York City.

New York, April 22.—Charles P. Shellburg, a watch maker and jeweler, reported to the Gerry Society that his 15-year-old daughter, Fannie, had been abducted by a gang of young men.

"I am here now, a living man," said Shellburg, "but whether I will be alive tomorrow or not may be decided by the toss of a penny, or the humor of the next member of the gang who meets me on the street.

"Almost every time I step outside of my doorway I am cursed and villified and often some burly member of the gang has grabbed me by the throat and with a curse warned me that my life was not worth the snap of my finger if I did not move out of the neighborhood. 'Your wife and your daughter can stay here, but you get out of here,' one of the ruffians told me recently.

"For the past two months I have been sick. My child has been employed in a factory. During my illness she was sent to board with a woman, and through her became acquainted with members of the gang. When I took her away from this boarding house she left me and I have not seen her since. If the gang can conceal her from the police and the agents of the society I fear she will be lost to me."

MURDERER HAS BEEN LOCATED

Posse Pursuing Williford, Near Doerun—Funeral of West.

Camilla, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The latest telegraphic reports to parties interested in the capture of the escaped convict, Whitely Williford, is to the effect that he has been located near the town of Doerun, 18 miles northeast of Camilla, on the Georgia Northern railway, and that a posse is now in pursuit of him.

However, the reports that have thus far been received are not of such a character as to lead to the positive assurance that he will be captured in the near future.

A petition will be forwarded to Governor Terrell tomorrow, if the outlaw is not sooner captured, requesting that he offer a reward for the fugitive.

West, the man whom Williford killed on Monday, has been buried. Cox still lingers, but very slight hope is entertained as to his recovery.

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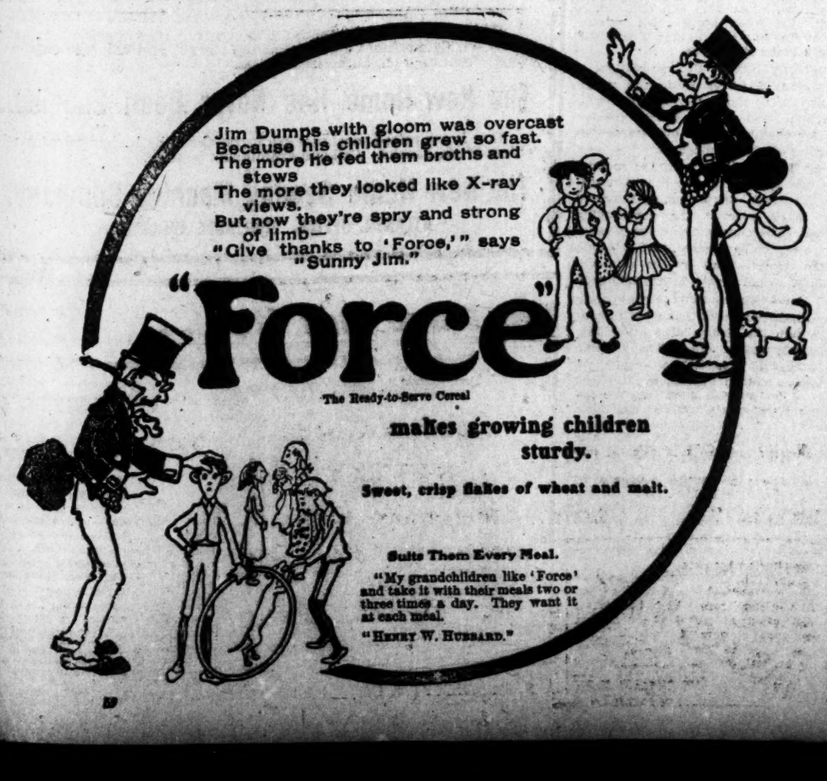
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SOUTH GEORGIA SHERIFF SEES SIGHTS OF LONDON

By Alan S. Rogers.



The South Georgia Sheriff Converses with a London Barmaid.

"Oh, 'e's very well liked, is Algy,
By the barmaids at the 'Cri,'
A jolly good chap is Algy,
The Piccadilly Johnnie
With
the
little
glass
eye."

LONDON, April 8.—(Special Correspondence.)—We have just been taking our first turn at the London music halls, the sheriff from south Georgia, Miller, an artist whom I used to know in New York and met for the first time in years coming over on the steamer Belgenland. It has been a great night and there is no discounting the fact that they know all kinds of good recipes for pleasure in this land of Algernon, Reginald and the barmaid. As for this last delicacy, it almost resulted in the big man from Valdosta way drinking his first glass of lemonade. But that sad chapter comes later in the story.

The three members of the party, after a four hours' run from Liverpool, dropped off at Euston station and took a four-wheeler for the Alhambra. Of course it's more than likely that the reader has knocked around London at the mercy of the "cabby." The sheriff and the newspaper man had not. It was interesting to see the representative from the wire grass country—who at home was never known to be afraid of anything except women and bad weather—hang to his seat and wait for the smash that seemed bound to come.

Pit stalls were secured and the curtain went up on a specialty that was more or less commonplace. "This yere show," began the Georgian, "is mos' sho'ly goin' to fit my measure. I wonder what Bill Brewster or 'Tige' Crosby'd say if they was to see me sittin' yere in a theater smokin' a seegar. This matter of goin' to a show an' havin' the privilege of smokin' thrown in jest about suits yo're Uncle James." The act over, Miller asked us to drop back into the foyer in the rear. "What are you going to drink?" he said. "Why, reckon I'll take same as usual," answered the sheriff.

It was just at this critical point that a very pretty bar maid came up. "Beg pardon, sir, but what was you're order, sir?"

"Why, I reckon yo'-all kin give me a—a—a lemonade."

The barmaid laughed a pretty ringing genuine laugh—she has any number of the forced variety on tap—and said: "Why you don't look at all like a man who drinks lemonade. I'm quite sure you're old enough to drink a bit of rum, sir. Do you still prefer lemonade?"

"I ain't denyin' the fact that my hankerin's leans some ways off from lemons, but no man is goin' to offend a lady, not if he comes from the wire grass country of Geo'g'a. If yo' don't mind J'll jest amend that with an order fo' some co'n whisky."

The young girl smiled all the way through the powder and rouge. "Do you know, sir, that was quite the prettiest compliment ever passed over an Alhambra bar and I thank you, sir. I'm very sorry, but we haven't corn whisky, but if you will drop in tomorrow night I will tell you if it's possible to buy corn whisky in London. I've never heard of the wire grass country, but I'm sure you are an American and a gentleman that all women should be proud of. Won't you have a little Scotch, sir? I shall see to it that you get the best in the house."

"Well, I reckon another drop of that yaller paint an't a-goin' ter pizen me beyond recovery, but every time I tastes that stuff I kin smell my shoes a-burnin'. An' if it aint' too much trouble, if yo' all could tell me where to find some real co'n whisky I reckon they ain't much of anything in our part of the country that Jedge Holcomb or Bill Brewster wouldn't send me if I was to write an' ask him to."

This may seem exaggerated. It isn't. The sheriff always says and does things in his own Georgia way and wins friends everywhere without trying. As for the pretty barmaid, she only asked him to come and see her again and talk to her when she wasn't too busy. And it was evident, too, that she had no ulterior motive. Personally, I saw it all, and I am sure that she only wanted another chance to get a breath of pure air. There is little to resemble the pleasant winds that blow across the green fields of Georgia in the thick, foggy banks of tobacco smoke and fumes of liquor that envelop the Alhambra from the pit to the top gallery.

We had again taken our seats, but I noticed that the sheriff was buried in reflection. "It's sho' mo'n I kin figger on as to how these yere people provides the privileges of seein' a show, smokin' an' drinkin' an' overlooks the joy that comes hand in hand with co'n whisky." How much further he might have continued his soliloquy it is impossible to state. It was very rudely broken in upon by the arrival of Miss Etta as the "Madame Sans Gene" of the trapeze. She was beautifully gowned in evening dress, opera cloak and what a good friend of mine told me at the Atlanta horse show last fall was a picture hat. Incidentally I was exceptionally glad she was not one of our party.

The Georgian expressed much astonishment as he saw Miss Etta take her position in full costume on the swinging bar. It is some time ago, but doubtless you will remember that Charmian had a turn after this same order in old Koster & Beal's in New York. Even Gotham—which is not generally considered as being narrow-minded or prudish—admitted that she went quite far enough. But as compared to Miss Etta Charmian was as demure as the Quaker maid of Philadelphia fiction. As she kept going further and further in her disrobing act, I could feel the eyes of the sheriff turned on me.

"I kind of feel as if I had dropped into one of these yere mothers' meetin's without bein' invited. I see they's ladies all round us an' don't you-all reckon we're in the wrong pew?"

But Miss Etta continued throwing her articles of dress to the stage below, where they lay scattered in suggestive abandon. With characteristic modesty she kept on her picture hat and silk stockings through the wide open work of which the pink of flesh colored tights showed realistically. She finally discarded the stockings. Her picture hat she wore to the last. The sheriff quietly thanked her much for that.

There were other turns, too, that were exceptionally daring from an American point of view. Especially certain French songs by a Prasian chansonette. There was no need for a dictionary. Her shrugs, gestures, pantomimes, were quite unmistakable. An Esquimaux from the Georgia state fair would have understood "all the words and music," as the libretto boys say.

HON. CROMWELL GIBBONS.

There was as a grand finale a magnificent ballet called "The Devil's Forge." As every one knows, it is in this connection that the Alhambra has been so famous for years. As a spectacular production it was certainly a marvel, the enormous stage accommodating over two hundred girls in beautiful and intricate movements inspired by the graceful goddess Terpsichore. As for the scenic effects and costumes, they more than lived up to the great reputation of this London music hall. When you think that it is possible to get a good seat for two or three shillings, the evening's pleasure is not an expensive one.

The performance over, the three passed out into the brilliant lights of Leicester square. Certainly one of the most entertaining portions of the evening was watching the crowds pour out of the Alhambra, the monocled chappies ogling every pretty girl—they seemed painfully few—the Frenchmen, Germans, Russians, all nationalities, and, best of all, Americans. London is indisputably cosmopolitan.

At Miller's suggestion we started in search of something to eat and landed in a French cafe. He insisted that it was the only thing to do. "Well, I reckon we ain't overlookin' no bets," said the sheriff, "an' we sho' ain't goin' to quit the game as long as the chips hold out." Crossing Trafalgar square, the party was again and again accosted in a manner so chracteristic of London. "These yere girls seem mighty easy to get acquainted with," remarked the sheriff. It was his only comment. The simple, straightforward charity of it reminded me of the remark of another man who stopped accusations and revelings with an equally simple and straightforward remark—"Let him who is without sin amongst you, cast the first stone."

And later, while we were discussing the merits of a chicken in cacerole, the south Georgian's comment of the evening seemed most significant. "It's sho' been a great night an', a great show. The best thing I liked about the show, did you ask? Why, the best thing about it all, so far's I was concerned, was the fact that I didn't have any of the folks I think most of with me, an' one in particular. An' another thing, I ain't deemin' myself in no ways a model, none whatever, but down in G'ogia we-all's so used to havin' a particlar high place fo' ladies an' havin' 'em keep there that this yere business of female bartenders an' gettin'-ready-for-bed exercises on the stage don't appeal to me as bein' no helps to an evenin's pleasure. Somehow it seems mightily to me as if the men was drawin' all the aces an' high ones while them poor girls wasn't nothin' mo'n a lot of discards that were bein' thrown down as of no use to nobody. Down in the wire grass country we allow if you weed out the women there wouldn't be enough sunshine left in all Dixieland to tell when it started rainin'. An' I reckon what's true of the wire grass country's true of all the rest of the world in that particular. Wish I could hear one of Jedge Holcomb's dogs a-barkin'—the whole pack an' passel of 'em wouldn't disturb me none right this minute."

RAILWAY NOTES.

A rate of one fare will be granted by the railroads entering Atlanta to the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of Georgia, which meets here in May. At the meeting of the grand lodge last year, about 3,000 members of this order attended, and it is expected that there will be another large gathering this year. This order is very strong in Georgia, and the roads find it necessary every year to make special rates for the occasion. This rate of one fare will cause many to visit the city who are not members of the grand lodge, and will materially assist the order in getting a full attendance of representatives from the subordinate lodges throughout the state.

A party of eighteen, whose names could not be learned, left Atlanta yesterday afternoon for Santiago de Cuba, over the Southern for Birmingham. The party is being handled by the Frisco system, and a special tourist car will wait for them at Birmingham. They are going on a religious movement, the nature of which the officials of the roads refused to divulge, stating that the tourists had requested that the matter be kept quiet. It was stated that all of the party were distinguished people, who were well known throughout this section.

A. G. Jackson, general passenger agent of the Georgia railroad; J. C. Haile, general passenger agent of the Central of Georgia; Ernest Williams, general passenger agent of the Charleston and West Carolina, arrived in Atlanta last night. They will probably be joined by other passenger agents today, and will hold a conference relative to rates for the travel expected to come here on the occasion of the coming opera season.

W. E. Christian, assistant general passenger agent, and W. B. Clements, traveling passenger agent, of the Seaboard Air Line, are in Memphis.

The Southeastern Passenger Association announces that excursion rates will be in effect on all the roads in the association to Atlanta and return, from all points, May 6 to 12, account the National conference of Charities and Corrections.

Excursion rates will also be in effect on all roads to Asheville, N. C., and return June 12 to 22, inclusive, account southern student conference of the Young Men's Christian Association and annual conference of the Youg Woman's Christian Association.

MONEY REFORM FOR CHINA

New System Is Ordered for the Empire.

Pekin, April 22.—An imperial edict just issued orders Prince Ching, the grand secretary, to reorganize the financial system of the empire by establishing a monetary standard for the entire country and starting a mint at Pekin to supply the provinces with uniform coinage.

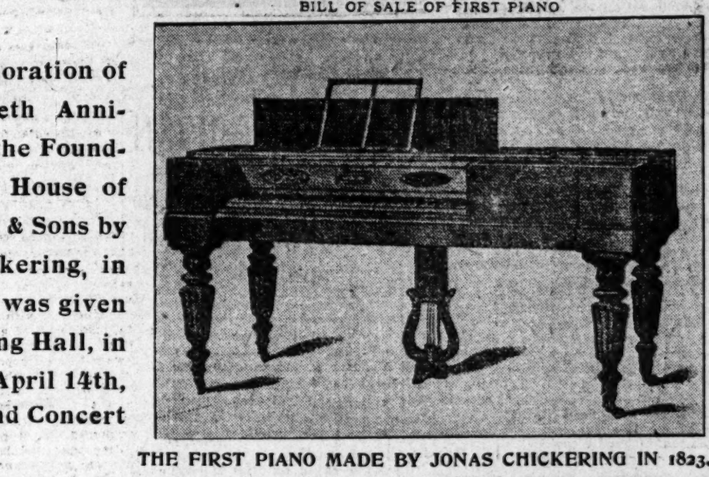
This step, which is due to Japanese influence, does not necessarily mean that the scheme will be carried out. Former edicts have been nullified by the indifference of the Pekin officials and the opposition of reactionary viceroys.

Phillips Awarded $500.

Rome, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—A verdict of $500 was rendered tonight in favor of the plaintiff by the jury in the case of Phillips v. the city electric railway.

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Special Correspondence.

London, April 7.—When a baby was gnawed to death by rats in a London suburb a few days ago, the public here decided that something must be done, and in a hurry, to put a stop to the extraordinary plague of these animals from which, for the last few months, the metropolis has been suffering. Not the Pied Piper's town of Hamelin itself could have been much more rat-infested than London is at present—chiefly on account of the extensive tearing-down of buildings that has been going on—and several recent incidents besides the grewsome killing of the infant in the suburb, called Lewisham, go far toward showing how really serious the situation is.

Only last week, a woman who stumbled into a railway culvert at night escaped from it only after having fought for eight hours the hordes of rats by which she was attacked. At a poor house, an army of rats fell upon a corpse which had been left unguarded and literally picked its bones before they were disturbed. A well known London restaurant at this moment swarms with rats to such an extent that the girls who work there hardly dare to lay down any food for fear of its being carried off before their eyes.

The killing of the baby in Lewisham is regarded as one of the most revolting tragedies that ever happened in London. The infant, which was only six weeks old, was the child of Alfred C. Brooks.

Early in the evening, the parents went out leaving the baby in bed in charge of its a brother, a boy of 10. But the small nurse wandered into another room and went to sleep there, and when Mrs. Brooks came back she found her baby dead in its own blood.

There was no doubt that the thing had been done by rats, which were known to swarm in the house. The child's head, face and neck were a mass of bites, while the vermin actually had eaten a hole in one of its cheeks. The left side of the scalp also had been entirely eaten away.

The coroner said that the infant's death was due to loss of blood and shock.

Woman's Fierce Encounter.

The woman who had so ghastly an encounter with rats in a culvert was a Mrs. Sarah Hart, of Paisley.

She was coming home across a common through which a small river runs, when, on account of the darkness, she stumbled into it. The stream was swollen by hard rains, it ran like a mill race, and Mrs. Hart was unable to prevent herself being swept on by the current. Just below the point at which she had fallen in, however, the river enters a culvert, and between the walls of this the woman was dashed.

Stones projected, and Mrs. Hart had presence of mind enough to clutch at one of them, by means of which she dragged herself out of the water and found a seat amidst the slime and ooze of the culvert's walls.

At first, frightened by the darkness, she made an effort to breast the swift current through the tunnel and to escape, but found it impossible, and so dragged herself back to her seat to wait for morning. Then it was that, to her horror, she found herself being pounced upon by small bodies, and realized that she was being attacked by rats. Mrs. Hart doesn't like to talk much about what happened after that, but it is enough to say that until morning came she fought for her very life against the fierce little animals that she found on every side. There must have been hundreds of them, she says. They swarmed all over her, making furious attempts to bite her, occasionally succeeding, but more often tearing some part of her clothing.

Day was just breaking when her strength finally gave out, and she tumbled headlong into the fast-flowing water. Like a shot she was carried through and out of the tunnel, but, as she emerged into the open stream, she found a plank floating beside her and managed to cling to it. A policeman saw her, and plunging into the river, brought her ashore. Her clothing was torn in shreds, and she was in a state of collapse.

Caused by Razing Old Buildings.

The reign of terror from rats which now prevails at the Gaiety restaurant, in the Strand, and in the Gaiety theater itself, for that matter, is directly due to the razing of old buildings that has been going on in connection with the making of the new street from the Strand northward. The rats, driven out of their old homes, have overrun the surrounding buildings. The Gaiety, being the nearest has been especially favored, and it is said that the damage done by the rats will cost $25,000 to put right. Men drinking in the bar, have had a rat run between their feet and have wondered if it wasn't about time to sign the pledge. The other day, one of the barmaids, who had been eating a sandwich, laid it down in order to serve a customer, and on looking for it found that a rat had carried it off. As for the girls in the Gaiety chorus, they can hear armies of rats marching and countermarching through the walls of their dressing-rooms and are in a state of terror.

The ambitious re-housing schemes of the London county council now are being carried out in nearly every part of the city, and from almost every district come tales of "plagues of rats."

In Hackney, workmen have been attacked and bitten by rats.

In a court in Fleet street—London's "Newspaper Row"—the gambols of an army of homeless rats which had taken possession of it attracted the attention of crowds of passersby, and Anthony Hope's father, the Rev. Mr. Hawkins, rector of St. Bride's church, had his gold watch stolen while he was stopping to see the strange sight.

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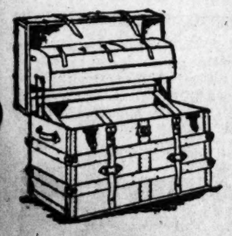
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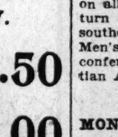
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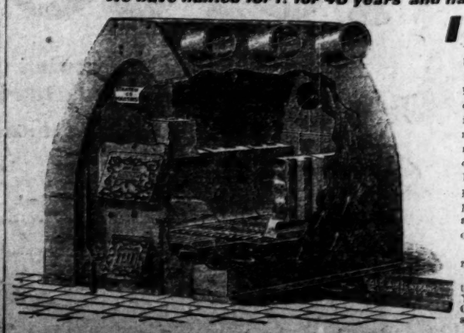
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JUST LIKE PACK OF WHIPPED DOGS

He Says People Whine When Coal Is Advanced.

Lawyer for Coal Roads Refers Bitterly to New Yorkers at the Hearing of the Hearst Complaint by the Commerce Commission.

New York, April 22.—Hearing on the complaints of William R. Hearst against the Pennsylvania and other railroads was continued today before the interstate commerce commission.

Mr. Shearn, counsel for the complainant, called for all the contracts entered into between the Lehigh Valley road and the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, explaining that he expects to prove by them the differences between the actual prices of carriage charged to that company and the published scheduled price charged to the independent companies.

Judge Campbell, of the Reading, and Mr. Kerr, of the Ontario and Western, protested that no such conditions obtained on their roads.

Mr. Shearn said the contracts would show the creation of a monopoly, that the coal companies have no power over the output of their mines because they can only get rid of the quantity the railroads are willing to take, and the railroads will not handle the coal in sufficient quantities to reduce the price to the consumer.

"These companies," he said, "brought the coal to this tidewater for 35 per cent of the price of $5 per ton, and then turned it back again to the coal companies to be sold for $12 to $15 a ton—"

"Where do the complaints come from?" interrupted Judge Campbell. "From the independent companies? No, from the palaces about Central park, the crowded tenements and business buildings in the lower part of the city. And yet if the price of coal is reduced will your rent be reduced? Not a bit of it. Cheaper coal is the historical demand of your newspaper, not of the thinking public. We will show this commission for more than a quarter of a century the people of New York have wrung the bowels out of the coal regions of Pennsylvania, practically getting their coal for nothing, and whine like a pack of whipped dogs when a decent remunerative price is asked by the miners."

"We appreciate very much," Mr. Shearn replied, "the courteous words of the representative of the divinely ordained angel of God in the coal regions. The people of New York city, of Albany, of Buffalo and of Boston will be grateful for the comparison with whipped dogs because they objected to be robbed—"

"I think the hearing is going beyond the wide limits we purpose to allow," put in Chairman Knapp, of the commission.

The commission decided that the railroads should produce the contracts demanded. Counsel refused, and the commission certified the point raised to the United States circuit court, where a decision will be rendered.

PROPAGATING THE OYSTERS

Commission in Mississippi Studying the Question.

Jackson, Miss., April 22.—(Special.)—The best method of propagating the oyster reefs on the gulf coast is the problem that is now engaging the attention of the Mississippi oyster commission, which was appointed by Governor Longino several months ago.

The last legislature made an appropriation of $5,000 per annum to be used by the commission for this work, and this sum is to be expended during the summer.

The details of the work have not yet been agreed upon, but it is the general plan to mix the oysters to be planted with shells, about 1,000 barrels of oysters being used to 50,000 barrels of shells. Oystermen are unanimous in the verdict that the planting of oysters alone is a failure, and among some it is thought that a portion of the appropriation should be used in employing dredge boats to break up the reefs where the oysters are too thick. A contract for 100,000 barrels of shells at 1 cent per barrel will at once be made. The government will be asked to furnish an expert to direct the work, this having been done at the request of the state of Alabama some time since.

BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN LOST

Oyster Schooner Has Never Reported at New York.

Newport News, Va., April 22.—The oyster schooner Nellie Willing, Captain Williams, is believed to have gone down with all on board during the storm that raged along the coast ten days ago. Two weeks ago the schooner sailed from Hampton for New York with a cargo of shell fish. No word has been received of her whereabouts by her Hampton owners, nor has the vessel been sighted by any of the coast vessels sailing between Hampton and New York. The vessel has been given up for lost.

HUNTSVILLE HAS AN OFFER

Light Company Proposes to Light City for $75 Per Lamp.

Huntsville, Ala., April 22.—(Special.)—The Huntsville Railway, Light and Power Company has submitted to the city council a proposition for street light that, if accepted, will set at rest for a term of years the question of issuing bonds for a municipal electric plant. The company makes a rate of $75 per annum per lamp on a ten-year contract and a rate of $80 per lamp on a five-year contract. The company agrees, if this proposition is accepted, to provide the latest and best improved electric street lamps. The proposition is being considered by the light committee of the council.

CLAIMS THAT HE WAS ROBBED

E. J. Kennedy Says He Was Relieved of $1,761.

Roanoke, Va., April 22.—E. J. Kennedy, of Greensboro, N. C., who arrived here today on a Roanoke and Southern train, claims he was robbed of a wallet containing $1,761 in cash and a railroad ticket from Winston, N. C., to Denver, Colo. Kennedy recently sold out his mercantile business at Greensboro and started for Colorado. So far, there is no trace of the missing money.

DREYFUS BEGS FRANCE TO GRANT HIM JUSTICE



CAPTAIN DREYFUS AND CHILDREN.

Pathetic Plea Made by Soldier for Reopening of the Case--He Alleges That He Was Condemned On Perjured Evidence.

Paris, April 22.—Alfred Dreyfus has submitted to Minister of War Andre a lengthy letter in which he asks for a reopening of his case by means of an investigation by the minister, as the supreme head of military justice.

The letter, which is dated Paris, April 21, confirms the report that Dreyfus has been living quietly here for some time. It promises to cause a tremendous agitation among the various elements of the political groups for and against Dreyfus.

The first part of the letter is an earnest plea that the court which condemned him at Rennes was improperly influenced, first by the annotated document as ascribed to Emperor William, and second, by the false testimony of one of the witnesses, Czernuski.

Horrors Are Recalled.

After arguing on the extent to which these contributed to his condemnation, Dreyfus recalls in graphic terms the long series of horrors to which he had been subjected.

The letter throughout is couched in a highly dramatic style, which is likely to make one of the notable papers of the case. It refers to Esterhazy as "one who stands before the entire world as the culprit."

One of the leading passages, showing the rhetorical style, is as follows:

"I will not recall, Mr. Minister, what I have endured since 1894. Picture to yourself the horrors of a soldier whose whole life was devoted to duty, to work, to loyalty, and to profound devotion for his country and who, in an instant, is stripped of his good name and despoiled of the honor of himself and his children. For five years this soldier is subjected to horrible sufferings. They seek to crush him physically, to annihilate him morally. He is absolutely innocent of all crime and struggles in vain to penetrate the mystery, proclaiming his innocence and struggling with all the forces of his mind and body for that supreme pleasure of vindicating his good name and character. Days, months, years pass thus in most cruel agony, amid the tortures of a murderous climate. At last he is brought back to France, the guilty one is discovered and the soldier hears himself proclaimed innocent by those who, before, reviled him as a traitor. It was thus, Mr. Minister, that I hoped to see my martyrdom ended.

"But, alas, when I returned I found the devotion of friends who had battled for the truth, it was to find also that the deadly hatred had been unloosed within the processes of 1894, I was stabbed in the back. I cannot imagine how such conditions can prevail through falsehood and deception. But to it was and my condemnation was but aggravated by the reaffirmation of what occurred in 1894.

Justice Twice Cheated.

"When the guilty one was known and unmasked, and Esterhazy was recognized as the author of the treason, the same men who had cheated justice in 1894 again sought, in 1899, to cheat justice for the second time by the same criminal manoeuvers. Conscious of these methods, the government of the republic will not permit itself to keep in prison one who is known to be innocent.

"In constant thought of ultimate legal revision I have reassembled, little by little, all the divergent elements of testimony contributing to my conviction. I have scorned calumnies and falsehoods. I have remained silent with the firm conviction that justice will surely have its day of triumph. The dictum of criminal tactics, violation of the law, twice committed against me. I now address myself to the supreme chief of military justice and, supporting myself by new facts which have been elicited, and by existence of the pretended bordereau annotated by Emperor William, I beg to ask that there be instituted an inquiry, first, on the uses made of this false document at Rennes, and the consequences it produced on those rendering judgment; second, upon the false and fraudulent testimony of Czernuski, at Rennes."

After a deferential salutation, the letter is signed, "Alfred Dreyfus."

DEATH BRAVED TO EARN MONEY

Perils of Manufacture of Matches Pointed Out in Reichstag.

Berlin, April 22.—Interior Secretary von Posadowski-Wehner, speaking in the reichstag today during the discussion of the second reading of the bill forbidding the use of white or yellow phosphorus in match making after January 1, 1908, said that to reject the scientific proof of the ruinous effect of phosphorus vapors on the human bone system was "to refuse to see the sun on a bright day."

Phosphorus, he claimed, not only caused necrosis sometimes three or four years after a workman had left the factory, but it was hereditarily transmitted so that whole families were afflicted, and again transmitted necrosis to their descendants. So subtle were the effects of the vapors that bones were fractured without the person being aware of the fracture at first. Herr Wurm, socialist, moved that the law become operative January 1, 1905.

The opponents of the measure sought delay, expressing doubts regarding the value of the patent process acquired by the government, and offered to match manufacturers and which was tested during the reichstag recess by a commission, which reported favorably on it.

The house eventually passed the phosphorus match law.

SULLIVAN CHOSEN PRESIDENT

Officers Are Named by the American Railway Association.

New York, April 22.—At the spring meeting of the American Railway Association today these officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, A. W. Sullivan, assistant second vice president of the Illinois Central; vice president, George W. Stephens, president of the Chesapeake and Ohio; second vice president, C. G. Waldo, general manager of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton. The executive committee was made up of Theodore N. Ely, chief of motive power of the Pennsylvania, and I. G. Dawn, assistant to the second vice president of the Illinois Central. It was decided that the next meeting should be held in Richmond, Va., in October.

SHIPPING TRUST LIKE A PIRATE

That Odious Comparison Used in the House of Commons.

London, April 22.—During the discussion of the board of trade estimates in the house of commons today Thomas Gibson Bowles, conservative, complained of the length of time between the inception and the execution of the agreement between the government and the International Mercantile Marine Company and also of the lack of information supplied by the government and blamed the board of trade for allowing the British vessels purchased by the International Mercantile Marine Company to remain under the British flag. In Mr. Bowles' opinion they were not entitled to fly any flag. In fact, in some respects, they had the attributes of pirates.

Under the union jack they had advantages which they did not have under any other flag.

Gerald Balfour, president of the board of trade, replying, said he hoped the government would be in a position to execute the agreement in a few days when an opportunity would be given for its discussion.

PROBING POSTAL SCANDAL

Reports Are Being Received from Numerous Postmasters.

Washington, April 22.—In response to requests for information from Fourth Assistant Postmaster Bristow, who is directing the investigation of postoffice department affairs, reports are being received from numerous postmasters throughout the country, regarding the supplies furnished them from the department.

The object of these reports is to assist in the investigation by furnishing specific, detailed information regarding the character and necessity or otherwise of supplies sent to postoffices by the department. The charges are that supplies were sent to postoffices regardless of the recommendations of postmasters as to their necessity.

CHICAGO ROADS PUSHED TO WALL

Three Street Railway Systems In Hands of Receivers.

Interest on Five Notes Aggregating Over $1,000,000 Was Not Paid. No Objection Was Made to the Appointment of Receivers.

Chicago, April 22.—On default of interest on five notes aggregating $1,154,183 the Chicago Union Traction Company, the North Chicago Street Railroad Company and the West Chicago Street Railroad Company today passed into the hands of receivers.

Suits for the collection of the interest money were filed in the United States circuit court of appeals by the Guarantee Trust Company of New York, and the traction companies admitting the default, Judge Grosscup at once entered judgment. Demands were then made upon the treasurers of the companies and upon their return unsatisfied, three receivers were appointed as follows:

In behalf of the trust company, R. R. Govin, of New York; for the traction companies, James H. Eckles, of Chicago, and as special advisor of the court, Marshall E. Sampsell, clerk of the court. The application for a receivership set forth the facts that notes for $565,052 against the North Chicago company, for $270,440 against the West Chicago and for $318,690 against the Union Traction companies were due and with interest were unpaid. The insolvency of all the companies was alleged. It was stated that the rolling stock of the corporations was heavily mortgaged and that stocks and other assets of the company could not be reached by a judgment creditor.

Attorney W. W. Gurley for the traction companies filed a plea in each case, admitting that the claims of the complainant were proper and offered no objection to the appointment of the receivers. The bond in each case was fixed at $75,000.

PLANTING THE CLASS TREE

Arbor Day Exercises at Emory College Yesterday.

Emory College, Oxford, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The Arbor Day exercises of the 1903 senior class of Emory college were held today in the college church and on the campus.

Promptly at 2 o'clock the senior class, clad in the collegiate cap and gown, filed upon the stage of the church on Wesley avenue and the exercises were begun with prayer by Dr. Charles E. Dowman, of Atlanta. Edward Young Davis, of Dade City, Fla., the president of the class, next gave his address. He was followed by Willis Anderson Sutton, of Social Circle, who read a very interesting and amusing class history, entitled "Who's Who in '03." Clyde Keener Campbell, the prophet of the class, read a very bright paper, prophesying the future occupations of the members of the class. The poem was read by Elbert D. Hale, of Rome. After the class song, the class was led in prayer by John Theodore Parker, the chaplain of the class.

The class and audience then adjourned to the campus, where the class tree was planted. Here, after a shovel of dirt had been put in the hole by every member of the faculty of the class and the faculty, the invocation to the tree was read by Mr. Hale, the poet of the class, and the benediction pronounced by President J. E. Dickey, of the college.

NOT SO BAD AS WAS REPORTED

Repairs on Battleship Iowa Will Be Completed Today.

Pensacola, Fla., April 22.—(Special.)—Engineers of the battleship Iowa have been at work, unceasingly, for the past 24 hours repairing the steam pipe which burst Tuesday night. The injury to the ship has been greatly exaggerated and she will be ready for sea by tomorrow afternoon. The ship refused the assistance of tugs sent out to her, and dropped anchor in the gulf while the repairs were being made. The pipe was one connected with the steering gear and rendered navigation of the ship, either by hand or steam, impossible.

It is stated by officers of the squadron that the work of repairing will be completed in time for the ship to sail north with the squadron tomorrow. The ships were all delayed 24 hours in their departure by the accident.

CALHOUN'S PAWNED WATCH

Merchant Had Him Arrested—Now a Damage Suit.

Waycross, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—One of the most important civil cases to be heard before the present term of Ware superior court will be the damage suit for $10,000 brought by W. E. Calhoun against George R. Youmans, mayor of Waycross. Calhoun is a young man who resides at present in Jacksonville and formerly was employed by the Atlantic Coast Line. Mayor Youmans is in the jewelry business here, and last year sold Calhoun a watch under an agreement that it was to be paid for in monthly installments. Before the watch was paid for, Calhoun pawned it in Jacksonville, and was arrested and lodged in jail here by Mr. Youmans for pawning the watch under conditional sale. Calhoun was kept in jail here for a short time, and upon the trial of his case was acquitted. He then entered suit against Mr. Youmans, alleging "false imprisonment and malicious prosecution." The plaintiff is represented by John T. Myers and Judge J. L. Sweat, and Mr. Youmans' attorneys are L. A. Wilson and Toomer & Reynolds.

DEATH OF COL. W. T. ROCKWOOD

In the Fifties He Conducted an Academy at Americus.

New York, April 22.—(Special.)—Colonel William Thompson Rockwood, father of County Judge Nash Rockwood, well known in Brooklyn, died at his home in Union avenue, Saratoga, early last evening. Colonel Rockwood was born in Wayne county, New York, January 17, 1827. In 1858 he opened an academy in Americus, Ga.

KING EDWARD TO SEND PRINCE OF WALES HERE



Heir Apparent to the British Throne Will Be President of Commission Which Will Represent United Kingdom at St. Louis.

PRINCE OF WALES.

London, April 22.—The appointment of the prince of Wales as president of the royal commission which is to represent Great Britain at the St. Louis exposition will be made at the special request of King Edward, who thought he could best demonstrate his personal interest in the exhibition and his cordiality toward America generally.

John Redmond, the Irish leader, was invited to be one of the two Irish members of the committee, but his many engagements necessitated a declination.

SECOND WIFE; THIRD HUSBAND

Vanderbilt, Divorced, To Wed Mrs. Lewis Rutherfurd Twice Married.

London, April 22.—The engagement of Mrs. Lewis Rutherfurd to William K. Vanderbilt is confirmed. It is not known whether the wedding will take place here or at Paris, but it will not take place at the United States embassy here or at the London residence of Secretary White, Mrs. Rutherfurd's brother-in-law.

Paris, April 22.—Intimate friends of William K. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Lewis M. Rutherfurd accept the authoritative statement from London of their approaching marriage as confirmatory of what they have believed for some time. The difficulty has been that both of the parties immediately concerned have continually denied that their marriage was to take place. These denials apparently have been due to the legal impediments existing until the New York court proceedings of Monday.

Mr. Vanderbilt was present at a small dinner party Sunday night when the question of his engagement was broached. He professed to be in entire ignorance of the matter.

New York, April 22.—Mrs. Anna H. Rutherfurd is a sister of Oliver Harriman, Jr., of this city, and of Mrs. William R. Travers. Mrs. Travers, it is understood, is to sail for Europe in a day or two, presumably to attend the marriage of her sister to Mr. William K. Vanderbilt. Mrs. Henry White, wife of the secretary of the American embassy to Great Britain, is a sister of Lewis M. Rutherfurd, who was Mrs. Rutherfurd's second husband. The first husband was S. S. Hands.

LECTURES AT EMORY COLLEGE

Bishop Hendricks and Dr. Hopkins Deliver Them.

Emory College, Oxford, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—This is a gala week for Emory college. The Quillian lectures by Bishop E. R. Hendricks and the supplementary addresses by distinguished Georgians have attracted a large number of people from all over the state. In addition to the lectures the annual class tree exercises of the seniors took place today and the college field day came off on Tuesday. Oxford has on her holiday dress and is doing all in her power to entertain her guests, making their stay most pleasant.

Dr. Isaac S. Hopkins, of Athens, former president of Emory college and the Georgia School of Technology, was the noon lecturer for today. His subject, "Optimism," was well selected, as he treated the question with a familiarity that showed his wonderful mind.

Bishop E. R. Hendricks last night delivered the second Quillian lecture on "The Personality of the Holy Spirit" to a large and attentive audience.

Capture of the Flim-Flammer.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The flim flam game, which has been so successfully worked for two weeks past upon the residents of College and Forsyth streets, came to an end this afternoon, when the woman who has been doing the sleight-of-hand trick was run in by police officers and booked for obtaining money under false pretenses. This morning, Annie Bryant, that is the woman's name, appeared in a section of the city where neighbors have no confidence whatever in the next door residents and delivered herself of the message that "The lady next door wants to borrow a half dollar until she can make change." The want of confidence indicated led to an exchange of hot words and to a call for a police officer.

Annie Bryant, when she heard the 'phone connection with police headquarters, made a run for it, but was subsequently arrested, and will be arraigned before Judge Freeman tomorrow morning.

LEPER WORRIES WAR OFFICIALS

Department Doesn't Know How To Pay the Afflicted Man.

Washington, April 22.—A curious case, involving a leper soldier in the Philippines, is before the war department, having been referred to the judge advocate general to determine in what manner the afflicted soldier shall receipt for his pay. The leper is an enlisted man in the artillery, and at present is isolated in South Carolina. Pay officers do not care to have him to handle the rolls to sign the receipt for his pay, so an arrangement probably will be made whereby the soldier can be paid through a power of attorney executed in the presence of the physician and nurse in attendance.

CRUISER TO MONTE CRISTI

Washington, April 22.—Because American interests at Monte Cristi, San Domingo, are endangered by the revolutionary gunboat Valencia, the United States consular agent there has cabled the state department asking that an American man of war be sent.

The cruiser San Francisco, now at Pensacola, will probably leave today for San Domingo city, whence she will proceeded to Monte Cristi.

CROWN SEIZED BY HIS BROTHER

Sultan of Morocco Has Been Dethroned by the Rebels.

Madrid, April 22.—A special dispatch from Melilla, Morocco says Muley Mahammed, the sultan's brother, has been proclaimed emperor at Fez.

A dispatch from Tangier, April 17, said the sultan had again offered the crown to his brother, Muley Mohammed, who had refused it. It was added in a dispatch from Melilla, the same day, that the sultan, accompanied by his brother, had started for Taza, the headquarters of the pretender, and that great excitement prevailed at Fez.

Advices from Meleu, Morocco say that the Kabyl tribesmen besieging the port of Tetuan have sent an ultimatum to the pasha in command of the sultan's forces, demanding the dismissal of the sultan's tax collectors and saying that otherwise they will attack Tetuan. The pasha refused the demand of the Kabyles and appealed to all men capable of bearing arms to assist in the defense of the town.

Tangier, Morocco, April 22.—Muley Amrani, an uncle of the sultan, arrived here today from Melilla, with the customs officials and all the government customs property. Melilla has been abandoned by the government.

Tangier, Morocco, April 22.—Tribesmen have attacked and pillaged Mequinez. Thirty-seven inhabitants of the town and thirteen tribesmen were killed in the fighting.

Verdict Against the Railroad.

Roanoke, Va., April 22.—Before Judge Moffatt, in the Roanoke county court, at Salem, today, eight cases in which the Norfolk and Western Railway was some time ago convicted before a magistrate's court, of unlawfully running freight trains on the Sabbath, and fined $50 and costs in each case, the jury decided against the railroad.

CHILD IS KILLED IN STRANGE WAY

Pulled An Iron Mill Upon Him As He Fell

The Boy, Who Was Seven Years Old, Lost His Balance While Stepping Upon Poarch and Caught Hold of an Iron Mill.

Robert Franklin Gibbons, the 7-year-old nephew and adopted son of Dr. B. F. Holliday, met death in a strange manner yesterday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. He lost his balance while stepping upon a porch only 2 feet from the ground, and seized hold of an iron mill to stay his fall. The mill fell upon his face, and in ten minutes he was dead.

The little fellow had been in the back yard of his uncle's home, 417 East Georgia avenue, with his aunt, Miss Belle Holliday. He left his aunt and started to the porch to enter the house. On the porch was a mill which is used to grind bones and other material for chicken food. The porch was not more than 2 feet from the ground, and but a short distance for the boy to have stepped. As he attempted to make the step he lost his balance. The mill was near him and he reached out and seized hold of it. He continued to fall, carrying the heavy iron frame with him. As he struck the earth, falling on his back, the mill fell squarely across his face and the blow was sufficient to render him unconscious. He gave a scream just as he fell and his aunt was quickly by his side.

Lived Only Ten Minutes.

Dr. Holliday was absent from home, and before he could be summoned or other medical assistance obtained, the boy breathed his last. He did not live more than ten minutes after the accident, and died without speaking.

Dr. Holliday states that the blow from the mill, which was between the eyes, ruptured a blood vessel. The mill weighed about 50 pounds.

The little boy was an orphan, his mother, Mrs. Virginia Gibbons, dying about two years ago. He was greatly beloved by his uncle and aunt and his tragic death has brought great sorrow into their home.

The funeral will occur Friday afternoon and the body will be taken to Union Point for interment.

O'CONNELL INSTALLED RECTOR

He Succeeds Rev. Thomas Conaty at Catholic University.

Washington, April 22.—Rt. Rev. Mgr. Dennis J. O'Connell was installed today as rector of the Catholic university of America in succession of the Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Conaty. The ceremony, if so simple a rite may be termed a ceremony, incident to Mgr. O'Connell's installment, occurred at a meeting of the trustees of the university held in McMahon hall. Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, was the central figure of today's exercises. As the president of the board of trustees of the university, he formally installed Mgr. O'Connell as rector. In attendance upon the meeting were many of the highest dignitaries of the Catholic church of this country.

The principal business of the trustees today was the installing of the new rector. It had been decided that this should not be a public ceremony, because it was the desire of the trustees not to interfere in the slightest way with the work of the students of the university. The installation occurred, therefore, behind closed doors. No formal addresses were delivered, except that of the retiring rector, Bishop Conaty, who presented to the board a report of his stewardship. His statement of the present condition of the university and of the improvements and additions that were made during the period of his rectorship was eminently satisfactory to the trustees. At noon the brief appointing of Mgr. O'Connell as Conaty's successor was presented and Cardinal Gibbons formally inducted the new rector into office.

ORDER ISSUED BY THE MAYOR

Gives Out His Proclamation for Memorial Day.

Mayor Evan P. Howell yesterday issued his Memorial day proclamation.

He orders that all work for the municipal government, except that which is absolutely necessary, be suspended, calls upon citizens to close their places of business and urges the people generally to participate as fully as possible in the observance of the day.

The proclamation of the mayor is as follows:

"Next Sunday, April 26, 1903, being Memorial day, upon which it is the pleasure and duty of all citizens to place upon the graves of the gallant confederate dead wreaths and flowers that are symbolic of the patriotic love in the hearts of all southerners for those who fought the battles of their country, and as this day of devotion to the memory of the heroes of the south will this year be observed on Monday, April 27, 1903, it is therefore,

"Ordered, That departments of the government of the city of Atlanta suspend all business that is not absolutely necessary on said April 27, 1903, and officials and clerks are directed to refrain during the entire day from all work that is not demanded by the municipal interests.

"Merchants, manufacturers and others of all pursuits are requested to give exhibition to their loyalty and spirit by closing their respective places of business on April 27, 1903, and citizens of all callings are hereby requested to participate as fully as possible in the Memorial day exercises.

"The county and state judges and other officials are asked to join with the city in the observance of this day.

"EVAN P. HOWELL,
"Mayor of Atlanta."

JUST LIKE PACK OF WHIPPED DOGS

He Says People Whine When Coal Is Advanced.

Lawyer for Coal Roads Refers Bitterly to New Yorkers at the Hearing of the Hearst Complaint by the Commerce Commission.

New York, April 22.—Hearing on the complaints of William R. Hearst against the Pennsylvania and other railroads was continued today before the interstate commerce commission.

Mr. Shearn, counsel for the complainant, called for all the contracts entered into between the Lehigh Valley road and the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, explaining that he expects to prove by them the differences between the actual prices of carriage charged to that company and the published scheduled price charged to the independent companies.

Judge Campbell, of the Reading, and Mr. Kerr, of the Ontario and Western, protested that no such conditions obtained on their roads.

Mr. Shearn said the contracts would show the creation of a monopoly, that the coal companies have no power over the output of their mines because they can only get rid of the quantity the railroads are willing to take, and the railroads will not handle the coal in sufficient quantities to reduce the price to the consumer.

"These companies," he said, "brought the coal to this tidewater for 35 per cent of the price of $5 per ton, and then turned it back again to the coal companies to be sold for $12 to $15 a ton—"

"Where do the complaints come from?" interrupted Judge Campbell. "From the independent companies? No, from the palaces about Central park, the crowded tenements and business buildings in the lower part of the city. And yet if the price of coal is reduced will your rent be reduced? Not a bit of it. Cheaper coal is the historical demand of your newspaper, not of the thinking public. We will show this commission for more than a quarter of a century the people of New York have wrung the bowels out of the coal regions of Pennsylvania, practically getting their coal for nothing, and whine like a pack of whipped dogs when a decent remunerative price is asked by the miners."

"We appreciate very much," Mr. Shearn replied, "the courteous words of the representative of the divinely ordained angel of God in the coal regions. The people of New York city, of Albany, of Buffalo and of Boston will be grateful for the comparison with whipped dogs because they objected to be robbed—"

"I think the hearing is going beyond the wide limits we purpose to allow," put in Chairman Knapp, of the commission.

The commission decided that the railroads should produce the contracts demanded. Counsel refused, and the commission certified the point raised to the United States circuit court, where a decision will be rendered.

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UNABLE TO PAY WAGE INCREASE

State Board of Arbitration Reports on Lowell Strike.

Board Finds That Mills Cannot Grant 10 Per Cent Increase Asked by Operatives — Formidable Growth of Southern Competition.

Boston, April 22.—According to the report of the state board of arbitration and conciliation presented to Governor Bates today, the textile corporations in Lowell involved in the present strike of 17,000 operatives, with a single exception, cannot afford to pay their help the 10 per cent increase in wages demanded by organized labor. The opinion of the board is corroborated by a statement from a statistician, based on the figures of an accountant employed to make an examination of the financial condition of the seven mills in question. The exception is the Lawrence Manufacturing Company, the books of which, according to the report, show that it is able to grant the advance demanded.

The report says wages in cotton mills in Lowell have been increased 16 per cent since 1897, against 15.37 per cent increase in the cost of living. The books of the Massachusetts mills show increase in wages since 1898, ranging from 14 to 23.3 per cent. The report says that Lowell manufacturers are at a disadvantage, having to meet southern competition on coarser goods, and that of the best equipped modern mills in finer fabrics. The report refers to the formidable increase in southern competition, the southern mills producing the plain worsteds largely made in Lowell.

WORK ON VOICE ADDLED BRAIN

Sad Fate of Julia Levine, Who Was Perfecting Vocal Organs.

New York, April 22.—As a result of overwork in her effort to perfect her voice, Julia Levine, 23 years of age, of Louisville, Ky., was taken from a boarding house to Bellevue hospital tonight for observation as to her sanity.

Miss Levine is said to have a remarkable soprano voice. She came to this city last September to take up vocal instruction. She worked very hard during the fall and winter and the strain told on her.

CANAL DISCUSSION IS URGED

Letter Addressed to the Newspapers of Colombia.

Washington, April 22.—Aristides Fernandez, minister of the interior of Colombia, through the governors of the states, has addressed the editors of newspapers throughout Colombia directing their attention to the importance of the fullest consideration in the newspapers of the subject of the Panama canal. Copies of the address have been received in Washington. In substance it is as follows:

"The matter of the gravest importance which should occupy the attention of the coming congress to the exclusion of all else is the matter of the Panama canal and to decide this important business with proper and mature judgment it is necessary that all patriots should use their best talents and positions to show to the people the many complicated questions involved in the case.

"It is not enough for the government and congress to study the matter; it is necessary that all the people, the mass of the population, should be advised fully of the interest the nation has in the matter, as well as the many difficulties and problems which the different projects present."

Therefore the minister calls upon all newspapers and editors to publish all they can obtain on the subject, as it is a matter of gravest importance to the future wellbeing of the country, as well as to the commercial interests of the world.

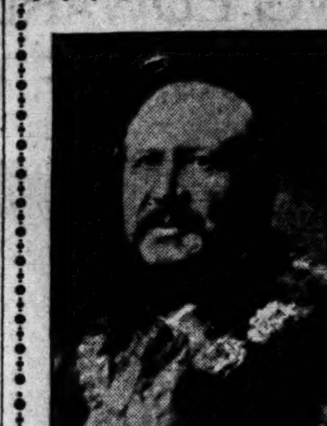
In private letters received in Washington it is said that the opponents of the canal complain because the Colombian government permitted the soldiers to vote at the elections held for members of congress.

UGLIEST MAN IN HUNGARY HOLDS REINS AS PREMIER

Special Correspondence.

Budapest, April 25.—Koloman de Szell, prime minister of Hungary, has been famous for years as a man of uncommon force, and his firm stand in the parliamentary crisis brought about by the recent student riots in Budapest has increased the respect in which the premier is held by all parties.

The unnecessary violence displayed by the police in dealing with the student demonstration incensed the whole country against the government and gave Premier Szell's opponents in the Hungarian reichsrath a weapon against him which might have been wielded in such a way as to bring about the fall of his ministry. The prime minister, however, by treating with conciliation the deputation sent to him by the students and meeting with unflinching firmness the attacks of the opposition in parliament, came out of the ordeal with flying colors and today is stronger than ever.



KOLOMAN DE SZELL.
Hungarian Premier, in Costume of Hungarian Magnate.

Before he became premier of Hungary in 1899, Koloman de Szell was known chiefly as the ugliest man in public life in Hungary. His tall, fine figure only accentuates the unpleasant features of his face, and even the gorgeous costume of the magyar magnates fails to show him up to advantage. As a politician, however, he is renowned for his incorruptibility, his keen sense of honor and his scorn for mere place-hunters. Many years ago he was in politics and reached cabinet rank, but there came an occasion in Hungarian domestic politics when a serious difference of opinion arose between Szell and the Emperor Francis Joseph. Szell obstinately refused to budge an inch from the standpoint he had adopted, and in the end he resigned rather than consent to carry out a policy which was opposed to his conscientious convictions. For many years subsequently he devoted himself to finance and conducted the affairs of one of the principal banks in Hungary. When a political crisis occurred and the emperor was sorely in need of a strong man to assume the reins of government, he summoned Koloman Szell to be premier, overlooking his former dispute with the banker-statesman, and in fact, honoring him for his independence of character. As premier, Szell has shown himself to be the most democratic prime minister on the continent of Europe, where indeed Hungary is one of the most advanced countries in political matters, being a strange contrast to the other half of the Hapsburg monarchy in this respect. Szell in his capacity as premier has fully sustained his reputation of being a strong man, for he has consolidated the liberal party, and has made himself the most powerful statesman in the dual monarchy. The Austrian premier has frequently had to play second fiddle to him, and in foreign affairs he has quite as much to say as the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister himself. His niece was recently betrothed to the violinist Kubelik.

OUT OF POLITICS INTO MASONRY

Congressman Richardson, Democratic Leader, Announces Retirement.

Mobile, Ala., April 22.—Congressman James D. Richardson, democratic leader of the house, who is here at the reunion of Scottish Rite Masonry of Alabama, when closing his speech tonight at a banquet in the Battle house, announced that he had decided to quit politics and devote himself to the work of Scottish Rite Masonry.

He said that he had been honored by reelection to congress nine times, and also had been elected grand commander of the southern supreme council, thirty-third degree Scottish Rite Freemasonry, and that the duties of the two offices conflicted so that it was necessary for him to give up one or the other, and that he had now decided to give up politics entirely, and to devote all his time in future to the furtherance of Scottish Rite Masonry.

The announcement—which was then made for the first time—was received with a great demonstration of applause. Mr. Richardson is the highest ranking Mason in the world.

WAR PREVENTED BY COMBES

American Minister Kept Guatemala and Salvador Apart.

Washington, April 22.—United States Minister Leslie Combes was the means of preventing a war between Guatemala and Salvador. A letter from President Manuel Estrada, of Guatemala, transmitted to the state department by Mr. Combes reads in part:

"There is no doubt whatever that the good offices exercised by you had a great influence toward restoring peace between us, and I have the satisfaction of tendering to you, in the name of Guatemala, my most heartfelt thanks for your work."

The minister in his response declared that anything the United States diplomatic representative might accomplish toward conserving the peace would be done.

SIXTY-FIVE LIVES ARE LOST

Disastrous Fire Occurs in a Mine in Japan.

Victoria, British Columbia, April 22.—Mail advices from Japan state that a disastrous fire occurred in the mines of the Otu colliery at Kinshu on April 2, resulting in the loss of sixty-five lives. The day was a legal holiday and but a portion of the miners were at work, otherwise the loss of life would have been more terrific. The fire was caused by an explosion.

RUNAWAY CARS CAUSE DEATH

Collide with Passenger Train, One Killed and Three Injured.

Spring Valley, Wis., April 22.—One man was killed and three others were injured in a wreck on the Spring Valley branch of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha railroad today. A mixed train was stalled on a hill 2 miles west of here and two cars that had been left on the track, while the rest of the train went over the ridge, broke away. They gained terrific speed and collided with another train coming up the grade. When the cars started most of the passengers and the train crew jumped and were only slightly injured. Only two persons remained in the coach when the crash came.

The casualties were:

Killed:

E. H. STULFEIER, St. Paul, passenger.

Injured:

Adolph Simonson, brakeman, arm cut off and otherwise badly hurt.

B. H. Joslin, Moline, Ill., passenger, arm broken and body badly bruised.

James Mullin, pumpman, foot and head bruised and lacerated.

A broken brake is said to have caused the accident.

CHOPPED WIFE TO PIECES

Husband Did Deed in Fit of Jealous Rage.

St. Paul, Minn., April 22.—A Cumberland, Wis., special to The Dispatch says that in a fit of jealous rage last night, John Neymeiser, living south of here, shot and killed his wife, chopped up the remains with an ax and set fire to his barn.

Neymeiser escaped, but was surrounded by a posse in the woods near Clayton this morning, and after holding the crowd at bay for over an hour, he shot and killed himself. Neymeiser was formerly an inmate of the insane asylum.

TOOK REFUGE IN ATLANTA

American Ship Haven for the Losers in Battle.

Washington, April 22.—In a dispatch dated Port Prince, April 10, Minister Powell reports to the state department that after two days of severe fighting General Gill was compelled to capitulate to General Casquez, and with his adherents took refuge on the United States steamship Atlanta, lying at Santo Domingo.

The minister reports that the Haytien government has imposed a tax of 10 cents on each quintal of sugar produced. The law recently enacted prohibiting the imposition of any export duty for twenty-five years had resulted in the loss of $800,000 in revenue in one year.

DEATH FROM POISON.

Medical Records Show That Uric Acid in the Blood is a Swift Agent of Death.

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In the springtime deaths from poison—uric acid in the blood—are common. This malignant poison, which should be expelled by the kidneys, is diffused through the blood, and when allowed to remain in the system proves fatal. Thousands of men and women around us are now suffering from kidney-poisoned blood. Loss of nerve force, failure of appetite, nausea, constipation, pains in the back and side and depressions of spirits, indicate that uric acid is doing its terrible work.

For such a condition in springtime, there is but one sure, tried and never-failing remedy, it is Paine's Celery Compound, which promptly restores the kidneys to health and enables them to perform their functions. With the kidneys in proper condition, there cannot remain the slighest trace of uric acid in the blood. Mr. A. U. Winters, of Cincinnati, O., writes as follows about his wonderful cure:

"In March, 1902, I was dangerously ill, and my condition became so alarming that my family called in a specialist to confer with our family doctor. I was told that my kidneys were in very bad condition, and as a consequence my blood was charged with uric acid. I was also suffering from rheumatism in back and arms. Getting no positive good from the doctors, a friend advised me to make use of Paine's Celery Compound. The use of the first bottle seemed to produce magical effects, and after I had used five bottles, I was strong and well. Today my blood is pure and clean, appetite hearty, I sleep well and am gaining in flesh and strength every day. Paine's Celery Compound saved my life and I thank God for it. I always recommend it to sick people."

TODAY AT NOON

The First Methodist church property will be sold at auction. Rain or shine. Don't miss it.

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POWERS YIELD TO VENEZUELA

They Will Not Try To Make Castro Pay Cost of Blockade.

Washington, April 22.—Great Britain probably will not insist on referring to the Hague the question as to whether the allies or Venezuela shall stand the cost of the blockade. This proposition was not included in the protocol of February 13, which provided for the submission of only two questions to arbitration, preferential treatment and the method of distributing the 30 per cent of the customs receipts set aside for the creditor nations. It was presented several weeks ago by the British ambassador.

Mr. Bowen refused to permit the insertion of any extraneous matter in The Hague protocol. Neither Germany nor Italy are disposed to protract the negotiations unduly because of this new contention. The British ambassador has advised his government of these facts and trustworthy information has reached Washington that the London authorities now are disposed to permit the original protocol to stand unamended. Mr. Bowen returned tonight from New York, where he has been for a fortnight. He will call tomorrow on the British ambassador and ask that the negotiations be concluded in time for him to leave for Caracas by the middle of May. Whether it will be necessary to make a counter proposal before the agreement is reached cannot be known until the ambassador discloses the character of his latest instructions.

"BUCKET SHOP" IS NOTHING

Judge Holds It Has No Standing in Law.

St. Louis, April 22.—Judge Adams, in the United States district court today dismissed a petition filed by the National Securities Company asking that it be declared bankrupt. Judge Adams held that the National Securities Company, as admitted b ythe plaintiffs, conducted a "bucket shop" and consequently the United States bankruptcy laws would not furnish the desired relief. The petition was denied on the ground that a "bucket shop" is neither a mercantile or trading pursuit, as those occupations are defined by the federal law."

WORLD MOVES ON DESPITE TEDDY

Important Occurrences Came While He is in Hiding.

His Flight to Yellowstone Park Has as Yet Had No Effect Upon the Affairs of the Nation Which Has Produced Sensations.

By Jos: Ohl.

Washington, April 22.—(Special.)—When President Roosevelt comes out of the Yellowstone park in a few days and leaves the snowbound trails for the rapid travel of his special train, he will learn that a lot of things have been happening at the capitol and elsewhere which have significance to his administration. He will learn for the first time full details of the court's decision in the Northern Securities merger suit and of the movements in that very important suit by his attorney general, all of which will possibly affect his political prospects more than any single event since he entered the white house. He will also hear some unpleasant things about his army and navy ogicers in Porto Rico and the Philippines who have been smuggling silks, wines, liquors and cigars, and been not only trapped by the wary customs officers, but both at Manila and San Juan, are already facing criminal prosecution with remarkable efforts being put forth to save them from prosecution. The president will also hear the details of the political war in New York state, which threatens to disrupt the organization so that the president will lose his own state next year to the democrats.

All of these matters prove how rapidly the world moves forward and how likely it is that when the head of the civil government of 70,000,000 retires to inaccessible places the procession of important events will pass him by. However, if the president had been in Washington all the while there could have hardly been any different management of the various affairs in question and the people do not begrudge him his outing.

Protected Government Officials.

Smuggling of wines, liquors and cigars would not cause much of a sensation here under ordinary circumstances. The customs officials have such cases to deal with constantly, but for five years the high authorities of the administration have prated extensively about the "splendid lessons in honest government" which we were teaching to the natives dwelling in our island possessions. There have been several rude shocks to those islands, although it is not to be overlooked that extensive and far-reaching reforms in government have been inaugurated by the Americans in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines. But, at any rate, it is most unfortunate that the favored officials of the government should involve it in such embarrassment by violating the very laws which they are expected to enforce with dignity.

Special emphasis has been given to the recent cases, because the department of justice is attempting to shield the army and navy officers in Porto Rico from prosecution, which the Porto Ricans happen to regard as unfair when they are themselves prosecuted severely for like offenses. It is all true enough that the custom at the treasury department has been to assess a double duty on those trying to smuggle goods for private consumption—whereas those bringing in goods without payment of duty for gain are prosecuted more vigorously—but the average Porto Rican is not calculated to reason on such fine points. The cases in Porto Rico, where the grand jury went forward and indicted notwithstanding the instruction of the department of justice to stop prosecution, have added significance, because they will undoubtedly figure in the presidential campaign of next year. The prosecutions of importation of silks and other valuables at Manila by army officers had gotten well under way before the war department got any knowledge of what was doing, and it has become a question whether the verdicts have not already been rendered. The democratic orators will find those matters luscious for discussion on the hustings next year.

Civil Service Clinches Things.

Since President Roosevelt plunged into the wilds of Yellowstone Park, there has been an important advance in the administration of the civil service law, although it was inaugurated with his full knowledge and consent. For the first time since that law was passed by congress, about 20 years ago, it is now in force with a severity never before known. In other words practically every employe of the government, who is doing anything like clerical labor, is under classified service and beyond the reach of political influences. This applies to a large army of many thousands of clerks, men and women, not only in Washington, but in most of the cities of the country, wherever the government has offices for postal, customs, revenue, or legal business.

Theoretically this has been the case for several years, ever since different presidents extended the classified service over various bureaus and departments, but in practice there have been many loopholes, which the politicians of the dominant party not only guarded with great secrecy, but used diligently for the smuggling of constituents into good places; the apointments of unskilled laborers, and thus under the classified service, where they could be promoted without great difficulty. The hundreds of presidential postoffices (postoffices where postmasters are appointed by the president) were also utilized as an underground railroad for the transportation of favorites into the classified service, and, in the last three or four years, hundreds upon hundreds of clerks have gotten into the classified service by that route. In both cases the civil service commission was powerless, because the president was not disposed to hold to the letter of the law.

Roosevelt Civil Service Advocate.

President Roosevelt, however, is an enthusiastic believer in the civil service, designed to prevent the removal of clerks without cause, and was himself formerly the president of the board of civil service commissioners under President Harrison. Therefore, he has been in full sympathy with the efforts to perfect the system now about as nearly complete as it can be. The intended conditions have been concealed as far as practicable in a new code promulgated recently by the commission and worded in exhaustive phrases that have not immediately conveyed a complete meaning to the public. The law offices of the government, however, are fully aware of the significance of the new code. It makes the civil service commission supreme in determining the personnel of the enormous clerical force of the government, even over the heads of the department officers. That remarkable state is made possible because the commissioners have sole power to say when the salary of a clerk shall be cut off and even the comptroller of the treasury, an officer who is supreme in matter of expenditures under law, cannot interfere.

The new code of things will make the politicians howl, especially the considerable class of them who are openly and above board antagonistic to civil service.

The Miles-Root Feud.

The old feud between General Miles and Secretary Root seems to be revived in a measure by the action of the secretary of war in the matter of the designation of Lieutenant Colonel John L. Chamberlaine to membership on the general staff of the army. Lieutenant Colonel Chamberlaine was designated for membership upon the general staff by the board which made the selection. He has for several years been stationed in the office of Inspector General Breckenridge. Inspector General Breckenridge has stood very close to General Miles and has sided with that officer in most of the discussions he has had with Secretary of War Root and Adjutant General Corbin. Now Lieutenant Colonel Chamberlaine has been turned down by the secretary of war, who declares him ineligible to a position on the general staff.

The fact that this ruling of the secretary of war is based on a mere technicality has given rise to considerable discussion in army circles, where it is construed as a blow at Inspector General Breckenridge and through him at General Miles.

The decision of Secretary Root to the effect that Lieutenant Colonel Chamberlaine is not entitled to promotion to the vacancy in the grade of colonel, created incidental to the retirement of Inspector General Breckinridge, will undoubtedly be protested by the officer affected. It is based on the fact that the act of congress, which passed March 2, 1901, provided that after all of the lieutenants colonel then holding such rank in the inspector general's department had either been promoted or retired that the number of colonels in that department should be reduced from four to three. On March 1, 1901, one day before the passage of this act, a vacancy was created in the grade of lieutenant colonel in the inspector general's department, to which the then "Major" Chamberlaine was entitled to promotion, but he was not actually appointed to the higher rank by the president until March 11, 1901. Although his commission as a lieutenant colonel was made to date from March 1, the date of the vacancy to which he was promoted, and although he drew pay for the higher grade from that date, the war department now holds that inasmuch as he did not actually hold the higher office until after the passage of the act, or on March 11, he cannot be considered as having been a lieutenant colonel at the time of the passage of the act, and that, therefore, no vacancy in the grade of colonel in the inspector general's department was created by the retirement of General Breckinridge and the consequent promotions resulting therefrom.

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AN EX-CHIEF JUSTICE'S OPINION.

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Perils of Change of Life



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The critical period called change of life is one of the most important in a woman's existence and fortunate indeed is she who passes it safely. I started this period in delicate health, when the vital functions were rather inactive, and soon learned to my sorrow, that I had reached a turning point in my existence. Those dreadful hot flashes sending the blood surging to the heart until it seemed ready to burst, and the faint dizzy feeling that follows, sometimes with chills and again with fevers, will never be forgotten by the woman who has passed through the experience. I spent most of my time in bed, and when I was up and around was unable to do any work. Wine of Cardui helped me when neither medicine nor doctors were able to do me any good, and what a help and blessing it proved to be. After using it a month I felt the weak and nervous trembling feeling I used to experience pass away and gradually health and strength were restored. I hardly dared believe that I was on the road to recovery, but soon found that I was gaining health and strength every day. I used your medicine off and on for over a year, until I had safely passed the period and am to-day in perfect health, thanks to Wine of Cardui.

Mrs Amy Kirk
President South Side Woman's League.

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STATE GOSSIP CAUGHT IN CAPITOL CORRIDORS

EVERY now and then some new feature of the change to summer sessions of the legislature comes to the front. Features which have not heretofore presented themselves are constantly being suggested to members who are giving the matter thought and study.

"The question of the senatorship," remarked a well-known member, in speaking of the matter, "is of little or no consequence. The custom always has been, as is well known, to seat a senator appointed by the governor where the legislature has not had opportunity to elect, and there can be no doubt that the governor would appoint the senator nominated at the primary. That disposes satisfactorily of that question.

"But there is another feature which, to my mind, is a far more important one, and that is the possibility of the state being without a governor for six months or more. It is true this might not occur once in a hundred years or more, but the possibility is present nevertheless.

"Suppose the governor should die shortly after an election, who would there be to take his place? Who could call the legislature in extra session, or who call an election for a new governor?

"On first thought you would say the president of the senate, or if he was unavailable, the speaker of the house. But following an election there is no president of the senate nor speaker of the house until these officials have been chosen by their respective bodies. It is clear from the law that the terms of these officers terminate when the bodies die, so after a new legislature has been elected in October there will be no president of the senate and no speaker of the house until the following June. If these officers could be held in any way to continue in office until their successors are elected, why is it they do not call the new senate and new house to order? It is provided, as is well known, that this shall be done by the secretary of the former and the clerk of the latter.

"The law provides for no one to act in the governor's place beyond the president of the senate and the speaker of the house, so it can easily be seen how embarrassing the situation might become should the governor die just after an election.

"In such an event I have no doubt that some way out of the difficulty could be found, but as a matter of fact the possibility of such a contingency should not exist. The situation could be remedied by providing for a lieutenant governor, but you will find few, if any, who are willing to suggest even the idea of adding another state officer to Georgia's list.

"I do not see any reason, however, why Georgia should not have a lieutenant governor. The salary could be made merely nominal, since there would be practically no duties attached to the office except in the event of the governor's death.

"Georgia should not be exposed to the possibility of being without a governor for six or eight months, and something really ought to be done to remedy this situation."

Governor Terrell received a letter yesterday from a lady in Alabama asking if something could not be done to aid a Georgia veteran now living in Lafayette, Ala. Though he has a family, is suffering from paralysis and is in most needy circumstances, no way seems to have been found of extending him aid. The writer of the letter asked if there were not some way in which he could be granted a pension by Georgia, and it would seem from her letter that he does not receive a pension in Alabama. The Alabama pension amounts to about $20, or only one-third of what is given by Georgia, and in this case would help but little should he receive it.

Governor Terrell said he regretted that nothing could be done by the state in this case, since it appears to be a most needy one. Georgia requires residence within the state before a pension can be drawn, and were the veteran in question to return to the state he would have to live here twelve months before he would be entitled to receive the state's bounty.

The following military commissions were issued yesterday from the office of Adjutant General J. W. Robertson:

Captain Stedman V. Sanford, First Lieutenant Leander N. Trammell and Second Lieutenant John P. Cheney, company F., Fifth infantry, Marietta.

Captain John P. Illges and First Lieutenant James W. Woodruff, company G, Fourth infantry, Columbus.

Second Lieutenant Edward R. Dent, company G, Fifth infantry, Newnan.

Governor Terrell yesterday honored the requisition of Governor Jelks, of Alabama for John Humphrey, who is wanted in Randolph county, in that state, on a charge of disturbing public worship.

The prison commission did not meet yesterday, as was expected, but Chairman J. S. Turner and Hon. Thomas Eason will be here today and the commission will take up the capital cases of John Perry, of Dalton, and Jue Colbert, of Watkinsville. Colbert is sentenced to be hanged tomorrow, and it will be necessary to pass on his case today.

Governor Terrell yesterday made requisition on Governor Heyward, of South Carolina, for Benjamin U. Hill, who is wanted in Scriven county on the charge of selling mortgaged property.

Senator Gordon Lee, of the Forty-fourth district, was in the city yesterday on business, and called at the capitol.

Dr. W. A. Davis, of Brooks county, was appointed yesterday by Governor Terrell a delgate to the coming sugar cane convention in Macon.

The governor yesterday offered a reward of $100 for the arrest of the unknown party who made a murderous assault, on Saturday night last, on Henry Jackson, an aged negro, at Statham, in Jackson county. It is said Jackson was brutally beaten up and left for dead. He will probably die.

The Dublin Banking Company yesterday filed its bond of $50,000 with the executive department as a state depository, and the governor issued an order directing the tax receivers of Laurens and Johnson counties to make their deposits in this bank.

The governor yesterday offered a reward of $100 for the arrest of Owen Howe, who is charged with the murder of Dow Walker, in Crawford county, on February 1, 1893. It is reported he has been seen recently.

Professor J. K. Byers, of Newton, Baker county, is in the city for the purpose of standing an examination before the civil service board for the position of lieutenant in the United States army.

THEATERS.

The Grand.

The keynote of "Rip Van Winkle" was in the little prelude to Joseph Jefferson's curtain speech last night, and just for a fleeting instant the grand old man of the stage laid bare his heart to the crowded theater.

When the curtain went down on the first act a whirlwind of applause rang out and "Rip" stepped from behind the scenes, that wonderful sunny smile upon his face; bowed and disappeared again.

But the great audience was not satisfied at all, so once more the clamor and storm broke loose, till he came back and said his speech.

"I did not speak to you when you called me first," he began, "because I didn't want to break the thread of the story."

Unquestionably he was touched by the loving tribute paid him, for the tribute was one of love, and yet—for the time he was Rip Van Winkle and wished not, even for a compliment like that, to remember Joseph Jefferson. His own self had been obliterated when the ragged clothes of the stage were donned, and the heart that beat in his breast was the heart of that gentle weakling—Rip.

Ah! That is art. Who can fathom the depths of affection Joseph Jefferson feels for that character, that other self, that other mind and soul and heart, becoming his at will; who can tell the fullness of the feeling which prompted the words: "I didn't want to break the thread of the story."

There is artificiality and there is art in the business of acting. The essence of the former is pretence; the essence of the latter is being and living. The one is sham and the other nature.

Joseph Jefferson stands preeminent today as the arch type of nature before the footlights, just as David Garrick did in his day, as Edwin Booth did in his.

Once in a while the French hit off a thing in a manner exquisite and happy and to them are we indebted for the saying that so and so has "created a part on the stage. If ever there lived a man who completely typifies the meaning of the little French phrase, that man is Joseph Jefferson and his "creation" is Rip Van Winkle.

Other men may act the part and a few may do it well, but the Rip of those who have seen Jefferson is a living being and the voice and eyes and pose that Jefferson gives him are his very own. The other actors may portray the character, but never impersonate him.

The play last night was artistic in every detail and not a member of Mr. Jefferson's company but acted well, though most especial praise is due John Jack, as Derrick Von Beekman; Miss Paget as Dame Van Winkle, and the children, Ipha Yenair and Dolly Onweise.

Sufficient be it to say, however, that Joseph Jefferson was himself last night and a great audience learned to love the venerable artist more than ever and were pleased to greet him once again amid the rosy glows of his ripe afternoon.

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"The Irish Pawbrokers" is booked for a performance at the Grand Monday night. The company, which is a large one, is headed by the famous farce comedy star triumvirate, Sullivan and Mack and Mazie Trumball, who are recognized as leaders in musical comedy. They are ably assisted by Delmore and Wilson, Joe Warde, Bobby Bryant, Joe J. Conlan, Eddie Brown, Mayme Taylor and a beauty chorus. In all the organization numbers twenty-five people and carry every stick of scenery they use—three complete acts. The comedy has a good, consistent story with many amusing complications and laugh-provoking situations. It was written by Edgar Selden, author of "A Hot Old Time," which has broken all records as a money maker. Its younger brother, "The Irish Pawnbrokers," bids fair to eclipse that marvelous record.

Despite the weather and the most popular and powerful direct opposition of last night, a great many theatergoers took advantage of the opportunity to witness "East Lynne," at the Bijou, as produced by the Fawcett company.

"East Lynne" is old all right, but it is just as popular as it ever was, and with due respect to the memory and the credit of every organization or star that has produced it, few have excelled the Fawcett company production.

Miss Grace Kimball, whose clever and refined work has made her one of the real favorites of the theatergoers in Atlanta, is playing the principal role with all the force and power that has characterized her work here, and she is supported most admirably.

Next week there will be a comedy offering for the Bijou that has the color of all that is good. One of the features will be the sketch to be offered by Milton and Dolly Noble, the highest salaried entertainers in their profession. The bounding Pattersons, a novelty acrobatic trio, will astound those who think they have seen the best of all, and the Sully family will also contribute a number that will interest. There will be music by the four emperors of music, in fact, there will be a class af acts that will appeal strongly to the theatergoers.

The Quaker Male Quartette Company will appear at the Young Men's Christian Association hall tonight at 8:30 o'clock, under the auspices of and for the benefit of the Universalist church organ fund.

The Quarker quartette is well and favorably known, having been brought to the south by the Alkahest lyceum system. The quartette is accompanied by Miss Furlow Anderson, soprano, and Miss Frances Louise Creight, reader. Their appearance at the Young Men's Christian Association promises to be an event of unusual interest and merit.

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HOW TO GOVERN GREAT CITIES

That Question Is Discussed by National Municipal League.

Detroit, Mich., April 22.—The attendance at the opening session of the ninth annual meeting of the National Municipal League was somewhat disappointing.

Clinton Rogers Woodruff, of Philadelphia, secretary of the National League, in reviewing the administrations of a number of cities extolled Mayor Low's administration in New York, and characterized the work of Police Commissioner Greene, of the American metropolis, as remarkable and brilliant. The recent elections in Chicago and Cleveland were pointed to as teaching the lesson that there must be an end to tampering with the city by the legislature and that national parties must cease placing national issues to the front in local campaigns, the frequent election of Mayor Samuel M. Jones, of Toledo, Ohio, teaching the same lesson.

Mr. Woodruff took up the question of municipal ownership, declaring that a movement in its favor had taken a deep hold on the urban population of the country. Several papers were read and a resolution was adopted, approving the organizing of a civic alliance to include a number of existing organizations, thus avoiding duplication of effort.

CANNOT INCREASE ITS RATES

Railroad Commissioner's Reply to Request of Railroad.

Austin, Tex., April 22.—In a letter to General Manager A. A. Allen, of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, made public today, Railroad Commissioner Colquitt says in part:

"I think the commission should be candid enough to say to you that it cannot offer any encouragement in your desire for increased rates. The freight either comes out of the value of the raw material or is added to the cost of the manufactured article for the consumer to pay. Notwithstanding the large increase in expense of operation, complaint is being made of deterioration in rolling stock and service; so much so, that while the gross earnings are increasing, the operating expenses have been more largely increased, it is claimed, without corresponding improvements and betterments. I hope expenses may be reduced by judicious management so as to justify a reduction rather than an increase in rates."

The letter is construed as being general inasmuch as most of the roads in the state have asked for an increase.

MEN MAY RETURN TO MINES

But They Must Agree To Work Full Time Saturdays.

Pottsville, Pa., April 22.—Announcement was made here today that 30,000 mine workers, who were locked out by the Reading company, because of their refusal to work nine hours on Saturday, will be permitted to return to the mines tomorrow, providing they pledge themselves to work full time Saturdays. General Superintendent Luther says the company insists on compliance with this regulation. It is expected that all the men will accept the company's terms.

Costly Lumber Fire in Texas.

Trinity, Tex., April 22.—Fire today destroyed the Cameron & Co. saw mill at Saron, with 75,000 feet of lumber. The loss is in excess of $75,000.

King Edward Off for Naples.

Syracuse, Sicily, April 22.—King Edward this morning left for Naples, on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert. It is said his majesty will make a short stop at Messina. The yacht was escorted by four battleships and two torpedo boat destroyers.

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MORGAN, YERKES TO FIGHT AGAIN

Former's New Move Involves A Capital of $15,000,000

Morgan Is Also Back of a Big Plan To Increase the Agricultural Output of Ireland by Improved Carrying Facilities.

Special Correspondence.

London, April 12.—Pierpont Morgan does not mean to let Mr. Yerkes monopolize all the "tube" business of London without an effort. I receive information on the best of authority that a bill is now prepared by the Morgan group to be presented to parliament asking for powers to construct an underground line from the heart of the city to Waltham Abbey, a distance of 14 miles. It is described as the City and Northeast Suburban, and if the necessary powers are obtained it will take about three years to construct it.

There is not at the moment a rival scheme, but in spite of this fact there will be hot opposition to Mr. Morgan. Two railway companies—the North London and the Great Eastern—will oppose him for all they are worth. The London county council, who are electrifying the street car lines all over London, will be in the opposing camp and so will several bus companies.

But most serious opposition of all is expected to come from Mr. Yerkes, who has his eye on the electrification of the suburban branches of the two railway companies referred to. This opposition will come before the parliamentary committee in the form of a syndicate, and although Mr. Yerkes' name is not publicly associated with it, it is known to those who are working with Mr. Morgan that he has inspired the scheme.

Morgan Will Be More Careful.

The Morgan group know they have a tough job in front of them, and they are a good deal more cautious in showing their hand than they were in their losing battle with Yerkes last year for a railway running east and west under London.

The conflict between the rival American financiers will begin in earnest when parliament assembles two weeks hence, and Mr. Morgan is expected to arrive in London the very day the bill will come before the committee. He has given instructions that the best engineers and parliamentary lawyers must be engaged to present the scheme, and that no expense is to be spared if there is a prospect of putting it through. He was greatly annoyed at what he described as the unscrupulous methods that were employed by Yerkes last year, and when he was asked to depart somewhat from his usual tactics of fighting a battle, he replied sharply:

"No; I'll fight them squarely if it costs me a million dollars."

Apart from those who were opposing him last year from purely commercial motives, he had the London press against him also on account of public feeling here against the Atlantic shipping trust deal. It is expected that the press will take up the same position this time.

The tactics employed in presenting the scheme to parliament will be somewhat different from those of last year. Some influential members of the house of commons and also of the house of lords have been prevailed upon to back the bill, and it is believed by the promoters that this influence will pull it through. It is estimated that the construction of the line apart from the rolling stock will cost about $15,000,000. The Westinghouse company will supply the engines and carriages and erect the generating stations. The line will pass by two of the principal government factories—the small arms factory at Enfield and the powder factory at Waltham Abbey.

American Back of Irish Move.

Another important fact that has not been published here is that Pierpont Morgan is behind the much talked-of plan of Lord Iveagh and W. J. Pirrie to increase the agricultural prosperity of Ireland by improved carrying facilities—a plan announced with much eclat in the house of commons and received with great applause by the country at large.

Some months ago it was pointed out in this correspondence that Mr. Morgan had a representative in Ireland investigating the capacities of Galway as a likely port for some of the steamers of the Atlantic trust. The same representative had instructions to investigate carefully the inland transport system of the country and report immediately how it could be improved with the view of developing the industries of the country.

W. J. Pirrie, who managed the English end of the shipping trust deal, was the investigator's guide, philosopher and friend and reports were periodically sent to Mr. Morgan and the result justified him in advising Mr. Pirrie to invite some man with substantial interests in Ireland to consult with him.

Lord Iveagh, who is the head of the huge brewing firm of Arthur Guinness, Son & Co., Ltd., Dublin, and who is also a public benefactor in England as well as in Ireland, was considered the most likely gentleman to interest himself in the scheme. He and a Mr. McCann, a wealthy member of the Irish party, have thrown in their lot with Mr. Pirrie, but it is not yet known to anyone except perhaps to Mr. Pirrie himself what actual part Mr. Morgan will play in the matter. I am told that he said to a well-known English politician some time ago: "Ireland is bleeding to death and I should like to know the reason."

THIRTEEN MEN DISCHARGED

All Were Arrested in Connection with Barrel Murder.

New York, April 22.—Guiseppe Morello, who was supposed to have been one of the most important of the prisoners held in connection with the murder of Benedetto Madonia, the victim of the barrel murder, was discharged in the Tombs court today. Subsequently all the thirteen prisoners were discharged, but Coroner Scholer ordered that all of them be held as witnesses.

Bail for Laduca, Genova and Morello was fixed at $5,000 each. They are alleged to have been seen with Madonia a short time before his body was found. The others were held in lesser bail, varying from $2,000 to $100. All the men were then taken to the house of detention.

When the suspects were arraigned today Salvatore Saglimbne, a step-son of the murdered man, brought from Buffalo to identify the remains of the barrel victim, scrutinized the faces of the prisoners to see if he could recognize any of them as callers at his home. He told the detectives that he did not know any of the suspects.

WHO OWNS THESE VESSELS?

Bankruptcy Petition Causes an Interesting Question.

Richmond, Va., April 22.—It appears that representatives of the Trigg Ship Building Company, which was yesterday the subject of a petition of involuntary bankruptcy, claim that the cruiser Galveston and the gunboat Mohawk, now partially completed on the ways, are assets of the company, while representatives of the government contend that they belong to the United States. It is expected that the issue will be fought out in the courts.

Bank President Killed in Runaway.

Caldwell, Tex., April 22.—J. J. Lane, recently of Kansas City, president of the Caldwell national bank, received injuries in a runaway yesterday which resulted in his death last night.

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NEW ISLANDS IN PHILIPPINES

Valuable Land Discovered in Southern Archipelago.

Washington, April 22.—Official advices received at the navy department from the Philippines record the discovery of a number of valuable islands in the southern part of the archipelago which are not on any of the charts in the possession of the government. So far as known, no foreign government as yet has laid claim to this territory, and to preclude the presentation of such claim, Secretary Moody has taken steps to have the islands properly charted as the property of the United States, after first having every effort made to learn if any other government had ground for claims to the new islands. A naval vessel probably will be ordered to the southern part of the archipelago to prepare the necessary charts.

Becky Sharp and Eve.

"A combination of Becky Sharp and Eve" seems thus far to be the most original remark made about the character of Mrs. Ward's heroine in "Lady Rose's Daughter." How accurately it describes the young woman is a matter of individual opinion. The French translation of "Lady Rose's Daughter," announced by M. Brunetiere to appear in his Revue des Deux Mondes, will not be published in that periodical until next autumn.

LT. COL. SPROLE KILLS HIMSELF

Army Officer Puts a Bullet in His Head at Manila.

Washington, April 22.—General Davis cabled the war department today that Lieutenant Colonel Henry W. Sprole, First Cavalry, committed suicide at Manila today by shooting himself through the head.

Lieutenant Colonel Sprole was appointed from New York.

TO BE ON LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN

Annual Conference of Workers of Sunday Schools.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 22.—It is officially announced that the annual conference for missionary workers of Sunday-schools and Young People's Societies of the western and southern states will be held on Lookout Mountain, from July 1 to 8. The programme is now being arranged and will be announced in a few days. About 500 delegates will be in attendance.

Mrs. Clower Dickey, Thomasville.

Thomasville, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—After an illness of some duration, Mrs. Clower Dickey died here last night. Her funeral occurred here this afternoon. Mrs. Dickey was a Miss Hart and had been

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M'COY PUT OUT BY JACK ROOT

In the Tenth Round the Kid Goes to Floor and Out.

Detroit, April 22.—Jack Root, of Chicago, tonight was given the decision over Kid McCoy at the end of the tenth round before a crowd that packed the Light Guard armory. McCoy never had a chance.

Root landed his left and right at will to the face and body, and generally without a return. The men weighed in at 3 o'clock, both tipping the scales close to 175 pounds. Bat Masterson was the referee.

The first round opened with light exchanges of lefts to body. McCoy landed left to jaw and cleverly ducked a vicious swing. No damage was done.

McCoy started the second with a left hook to the jaw, a right to the head and left to neck and mouth. Near the end of the round Root landed a low body punch that sent McCoy to the mat, and would have ended the bout had it not been for the gong.

Root opened the third with a right to the back of the head and McCoy went down and took the count. Root landed left and right to the body. McCoy was groggy and was holding to save himself.

From this time on Root landed as he pleased. McCoy's blows lacked steam and he appeared to be content with staying the limit. He braced up somewhat in the sixth. McCoy took the count in the seventh, eighth and ninth rounds, and by holding managed to stay to the end.

NEGRO REGISTERS PROTEST AGAINST COUNCIL'S ACTION

In a card which is published herewith one of Atlanta's respected negro citizens objects to the action of the city council in prohibiting negro baseball games at Brisbine park, and sets forth the reasons for his objection to the council's action.

He asserts in the card that the negroes have at all times been well behaved at Brisbine, and have never given the police any trouble.

The card is published in full as follows:

The Constitution: The colored people are very much aggrieved over the action of our city fathers yesterday in taking away from us the right to play ball at Brisbine park.

We have been using that park a long time and it is well known that we keep as good order, if not better, than is kept at Piedmont. I have been to Brisbine several times to witness games and have never seen a single negro beyond control. The place has always been patrolled at each game.

I have visited the other ball ground and have seen white players arrested for disorderly conduct; have even seen a white player throw a wild ball amid the spectators because some one criticised a bad play.

We are here with you all and we think we are entitled to fair treatment. Let us have some place where we can go and enjoy ourselves to ourselves and yet be under police protection.

Gentlemen, we are told that you are our best friends. Let us feel that you are by giving us a little consideration. You have Ponce de Leon, Piedmont and all the pleasure resorts. Let us have one little park for our boys to play the most popular game of the day. The law-abiding negro feels an interest in the city and wants the city to feel a little bit of interest in him. We simply ask for justice and right, nothing more and nothing less.

Punish us when we are guilty and censure us not when we do not deserve it. We hope the day will yet come when you will be proud of the negro. The negro is not an ingrate, as you all well know.

We ask again, give us justice, treat us right and we will honor your city by our fidelity and loyalty to her interests. Yours truly, MOSES AMOS.
184 Auburn Avenue, Atlanta, Ga.

BOUGHT LARGE TRACT OF LAND

Naval Stores Company Purchases 100,000 Acres.

Fort Myers, Fla., April 22.—The Consolidated Naval Stores Company has added to its holdings of timber lands in Florida 100,000 acres of land in this (Lee) county by the purchase of the charter and holdings of the Beach Land Company. This company was organized last fall, with W. W. Beach, of Waycross, as president, and D. H. McMillan, vice president. The sale took effect today, $90,000, it is said, being the purchase price.

The company now holds about 2,900,000 acres of land in this state.

GRAVE DIGGERS ON STRIKE

They Demand an Increase in Their Wages.

Montreal, April 22.—The grave diggers of Montreal are on a strike for an increase of 25 cents per day in wages.

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IN THE COURTS.

Counter Claims in Suit.

The suit of George W. Collier against Scoville Bros., former managers of the Aragon hotel, for a claim of $800 is on trial before Judge A. E. Calhoun in the second division of the city court. The defendants have made a counter claim against Collier for more than $10,000 and ask judgment for that amount.

Collier claims that the Scoville Bros. are indebted to him for supplies. The defendants admit this indebtedness, but claim that it is offset by an indebtedness on the part of Collier. They allege that he owes them $1,100 for board for George W. Collier, Jr.; also that he owes for an unpaid check for $59 given by George W. Collier, Jr., a former manager of the Aragon, and that he is also indebted to them in the sum of $9,000 for loss incurred by an improper lighting plant and for other losses on account of work in the hotel which, it is claimed, interfered with the business. Included in this amount is $7,400 claimed to have been paid the Georgia Electric Light Company by the defendants because of the improper working of Collier's plant.

The case is being hard fought, and it is probable that the trial will continue throughout the remainder of the court week. Collier is represented by Attorneys Westmoreland Bros. and Judge J. N. Bateman and the defendants are represented by Attorneys Walter R. Brown and A. H. Cox.

Other Court Items.

Georgia Allman yesterday brought suit against the Georgia Railway and Electric Company for $2,000 damages for alleged personal injuries. The plaintiff claims that on May 4, 1901, she was thrown from a car and injured on account of the sudden starting of the car as she attempted to alight. Negligence is charged against the defendant. Attorney Sidney C. Tapp filed the suit.

An application for a charter for the Mexican Fruit Company was filed yesterday with Deputy Clerk Arch Harrison, of the superior court. The concern proposes to develop land in Mexico, Georgia and elsewhere and to locate and develop tropical fruit farms on such land. The capital stock is placed at $30,000 and the privilege is asked to increase this to an amount not more than $100,000. The incorporators are R. D. Huber and A. Fugazzi. Attorney E. V. Carter filed the petition.

The trial of the case of Saint Chenall, colored, against the Palmer Brick Company, which has been on trial for several days before Judge H. M. Reid in the first division of the city court, was concluded with a verdict for $875 in favor of the plaintiff. Chenall was suing for $3,500 for alleged personal injuries. He claims that a portion of a brick kiln fell on him.

Transfers of Property.

The following transfers of property were filed yesterday with Deputy Clerk Alex Dittler, of the superior court:

Mrs. Mintora Michael to L. G. Bowden, lot on Burckel street, 98 by 26, $400.

A. G. Bowden to L. G. Bowden, lot on Berrell street, 98 by 26, $25.

Mortgage—Merril P. Gaines to S. T. Weyman and G. W. Connors, lot on Sells avenue, 50 by 190, $400.

Loan Deed—Lot on Grant street, 50 by 170, $1,100.

S. T. Weyman and G. W. Connors to Merril P. Gaines, lot on Sells avenue, 50 by 190, $500.

Loan Deed—Merril P. Gaines to Mrs Carrie G. Howson, same property as above, $638.

Mrs. Katie J. Hall to James P. Hall, lot on McDaniel street, 100 by 68; also lot on an alley, 111 feet from the corner of McDaniel and Middle streets, 98 by 52, consideration is the mutual love and affection the party of the first part has for her husband.

C. L. Pettigrew to Mrs. Frances S. Stewart, lot on Fourth street, 98½ my 83 feet, 3 inches; also lot on State street, 50 by 100, $355.

C. L. Pettigrew to Mrs. Eva Langford Stewart, lot on Lee street, 178 by 60, $110.

North Atlanta Realty Company to Victor Lamar Smith, lot on Fourteenth street, 50 by 242, $2,500.

Russell V. Glenn to Mrs. Ruby H. Thompson, lot in land lot 166, fourteenth district, 1494 by 778, $2,500.

LADY CORNWALLIS WEST NEARLY 50, BUT YOUNG



MRS. GEORGE CORNWALLIS-WEST, Lady Randolph Churchill.

Special Correspondence.

London, April 12.—Just before sailing for her native America the other day Mrs. George Cornwallis-West, erstwhile Lady Randolph Churchill, sat for a portrait which turns out to be much the best that this famous personage has had taken. She has Queen Alexandra's knack of staying young, for although her brilliant son, Winston Churchill, is 28, his mother looks younger than he, and certainly no older than her second husband, the handsome George Cornwallis-West, whose age is exactly the same as that of his stepson. Mrs. Cornwallis-West (an autograph letter from her which lies before me authorizes the hyphen) has been doing a good bit of writing since the suspension of her Anglo-Saxon Review, the quarterly magazine which used to be sold at $5 a copy, gave her more time. A recent article of hers on the influence of American women in Europe attracted great attention over here.

LIST OF PRIZES AND ENTRIES BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL FIELD DAY

THE boys of the Boys' High school are training hard for the annual field day which will be held at Exposition park next Saturday, and they expect to smash records in all the events.

A handsome list of prizes has been offered by the merchants of the city and other friends of the school. These prizes are all valuable, and will greatly increase the interest in the various contests.

The following is the full list of prizes offered:

First Event—Standing Broad Jump: First prize, camera, Capital Camera Company; statue, Delbridge & Rice; second prize, hat, Hirsch Bros.; third prize, pipe, Silverman; fourth prize, jersey, Anderson Hardware Company.

Second Event—Running High Jump: First prize, fancy vest, Eiseman Bros.; second prize, watch fob, M. R. Emmons & Co.; third prize, walking stick, George R. Law; fourth prize, book shelf, Brown & Catlett.

Third Event—Shot Put: First prize, pair of glasses, A. K. Hawkes; second prize, sofa pillow, M. Rich Bros. & Co.; third prize, walking stick, Law Bros.

Fourth Event—One Hundred Yard Dash: First prize, pair of tights, Gus Castle; second prize, baseball glove, Heinz & Son; third prize, tennis shoes, George Muse & Co.; fourth prize, walking stick, J. R. Watts.

Fifth Event—Running Broad Jump: First prize, pair of shoes, Regal Shoe Company; second prize, fountain pen, Lester Book Company; third prize, shirt, Eiseman & Weil.

Sixth Event—Throwing Hammer: First prize, traveling glass, Davis & Freeman; second prize, bath robe, Jacobs' Pharmacy; third prize, book, American Baptist Publication Society.

Seventh Event—Half mile run: First prize, two ties, Southern Neckwear Company; second price, pipe, T. H. Pitts; third prize, Tie, Hughes & McClellan; fourth prize, razor, Vittur; last price, picture, K. M. Turner.

Eighth Event—Lightweight wrestling: First prize, dress suit case, Pinnacle Trunk Company; second prize, pair of cuff buttons, Maier & Berkele; third prize, scarf pin, Sid Holland.

Ninth Event—Heavyweight wrestling: First prize, $5 in trade, King Hardware Company; second prize, picture, Sam Walker; third prize, match case, C. W. Crankshaw.

Tenth Event—Class relay race: First prize, 1 pound box candy each, Nunnally; second price, one-half pound box candy each, Wiley.

All the Entries.

The following is the full list of entries:

FIRST EVENT—STANDING BROAD JUMP.

3, T. W. Welsh, senior class; 4, B. H. Hunnicutt, senior class; 5, S. McConnell, first A; 8, W. S. McCalley, first C; 10, Albert Mason, second A; 11, J. W. Quillian, senior class; 12, D. Z. Sage, senior class; 21, Eugene Dickey, first B; 22, Reynolds Lane, first A.

SECOND EVENT—RUNNING HIGH JUMP.

3, T. W. Welsh, senior class; 4, B. H. Hunnicutt, senior class; 8, W. S. McCalley, first C; 12, D. Y. Sage, senior class; 20, H. E. Stribling, second B; 21, Eugene Dickey, first B; 22, R. Lane, first A.

THIRD EVENT—SHOT PUT—(12 (Pounds).

5, L. McConnell, first A; 8, W. S. McCalley, first C; 9, S. R. Johnston, Jr., senior; 12, D. Y. Sage, senior; 20, H. E. Stribling, second; 21, E. Dickey, first B; 22, R. Lane, first A.

FOURTH EVENT—ONE HUNDRED-YARD DASH.

2, F. Hannah, first B; 5, L. McConnell, first A; 8, W. S. McCalley, first C; 12, D. Y. Sage, senior; 20, H. E. Stribling, second B; 21, E. Dickey, first B; 22, R. Lane, first A.

FIFTH EVENT—RUNNING BROAD JUMP.

3, T. W. Welsh, senior; 4, H. B. Hunnicutt, senior; 5, L. M. McConnell, first A; 7, A. Perkerson, first C; 8, W. L. McCalley, first C; 10, A. Mason, second A; 11, J. W. Quillian, senior; 12, D. Y. Sage, senior; 20, H. E. Stribling, second B; 21, E. Dickey, first B; 22, R. Lane, first A.

SIXTH EVENT—THROWING HAMMER (12 pounds).

4, H. B. Hunnicutt, senior; 5, L. McConnell, first A; 8, W. L. McCalley, first C; 11, J. W. Quillian, senior; 12, D. Y. Sage, senior; 20, H. E. Stribling, second B; 21, E. Dickey, first B; 22, R. Lane, first A.

SEVENTH EVENT—HALF-MILE RUN.

2, F. Hannah, first B; 3, T. W. Welsh, senior; 4, H. B. Hunnicutt, senior; 5, L. McConnell, first A; 6, Leppert, second B; 8, W. L. McCalley, first C; 11, J. W. Quillian, senior; 12, D. Y. Sage, senior; 13, J. Warlich, second B; 14, G. Gillon, second B; 15, W. Chase, first B; 17, H. Avary, first B; 18, Harold Avary, first B; 20, H. E. Stribling, second B; 21, E. Dickey, first B; 22, R. Lane, first A; 23, P. E. Orr, second B.

EIGHTH EVENT—LIGHT-WEIGHT WRESTLING—(125 Pounds.)

1, R. A. Riley, senior; 11, J. W. Quillian, senior; 13, J. W. Warlick, second B; 14, G. Gillon, second B.

NINTH EVENT—HEAVY-WEIGHT WRESTLING.

2, F. Hannah, first B; 5, L. McConnell, first A; 8, W. L. McCalley, first C; 11, J. W. Quillian, senior; 12, D. Y. Sage, senior; 20, H. E. Stribling, second B; 22, R. Lane, first A.

TENTH EVENT—CLASS RELAY RACE (One Mile) SENIOR CLASS TEAM.

3, T. W. Welsh, first runner; 9, S. R. Johnston, Jr., second runner; 16, A. R. Bryon, third runner; 19, I. Shropshire, fourth runner; 1, R. A. Riley, fifth runner; 12, D. Y. Sage, sixth runner.

SECOND GRADE TEAM.

20, H. E. Stribling, captain, 1; 14, G. Gillon, 2; 13, J. Warlick, 3; 23, P. E. Orr, 5; 26, Carpenter, 5; 25, G. W. McCarty.

FIRST GRADE.

2, F. Hannah, 1; 22, R. Lane, 2; 21, E. Lickey, 3; 24, C. Orr, 4; 5, L. McConnell, 5; 8, W. L. McCalley, captain, 6.

Boy Run Over by a Buggy.

Macon, Ga., April 22.—(Specila.)—Foster Buff, 11 years of age, was run down by a buggy, driven by a white man, on Poplar street, near Second, this afternoon about 6 o'clock and painfully, possibly fatally, injured.

The lad was walking across Poplar street looking backwards when the buggy, drawn at a rapid speed, came upon him. He was knocked senseless and when picked up was badly bruised about the face. An examination of his injuries showed that his right arm and right leg had been lacerated and badly bruised, while his side was injured, probably by the horse stepping upon him. Young Buff was removed to his parents' home on Walnut street, where his injuries were attended by a physician, who declined to pass finally upon the wounds inflicted. The accient was purely accicental.

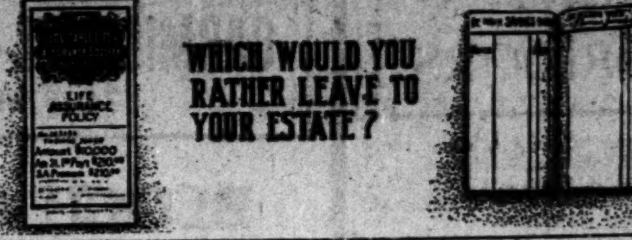
H. H. Pearson, Jr., Resigns.

New Orleans, April 22.—H. H. Pearson, Jr., of Philadelphia, has resigned the presidency of the New Orleans Railways Company.

John N. Crawford, Chicago.

Chicago, April 22.—John N. Crawford, the well known editorial writer and literary critic of The Chicago Journal, died today of pneumonia. Mr. Crawford has been a newspaper man in Chicago for nearly twenty years.

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SHORT ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

GEORGE T. ALLEN, A RAILROAD fireman, yesterday filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. He schedules liabilities amounting to $694.15 and assets amounting to $125. H. W. Dent is his attorney. Paul E. Johnson, as attorney for C. E. Grubbs, Jr., yesterday also filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. Grubbs gives in his liabilities as $7,091.80 and his assets as $15.

THE MILES-ALLEN COMPANY ENtertained a large number of their friends yesterday afternoon with a fine barbecue given at their place of business, 276 and 278 Marietta street. The 'cue was served at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and consisted of several kinds of meat and a stew prepared by expert hands. An enjoyable afternoon was spent by those who attended.

THE WEATHER CONDITIONS INdicate fair and continued cool weather today, according to the report from the local weather bureau. The temperature today is not likely to be as pleasant as is expected next month. Owing to the almost steady breeze during the past few days it has seemed cooler than it has been, in fact. The mercury has not been below 48 during the last twenty-four hours, and while it has not climbed higher than 56, it is consoling to think that it might not have done even that.

A GASOLINE LAMP EXPLODED last night about 7 o'clock in a stable on the premises of Mrs. J. S. Billings, No. 125 Washington street, and a lot of loose cotton and rubbish was ignited. The fire department was called out by telephone and the blaze was extinguished before any damage was done.

GEORGIA LOONEY, BESSIE STAFford and Blanche Collier, the three women held by the coroner until the grand jury can investigate the death of C. G. Love, have retained Attorney F. M. Hughes and he will ask for a preliminary hearing before Justice Venable either this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock or Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Love was killed Monday night by a fall down a stairway at 71½ South Broad street, and the police believe he was shoved down the steps. Before he died Love stated that some one gave him a push. The coroner held an inquest and the jury recommended that the three women who lived in the place where Love was killed be held for further investigation.

THE ENTERTAINMENT AND ICE cream festival given Tuesday night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Marbut, 24 Kelly street, by the Willing Workers' Society of the St. Paul Methodist church, on Hunter street, proved a success in every respect. A large number of people attended the entertainment and greatly enjoyed the several different features.

AT A RECENT MEETING OF THE board of education a resolution of thanks was passed and extended in connection with a similar resolution from the teachers of the public schools to Mrs. John M. Slaton for her kindness in having framed and presenting to the schools of the city the picture of Governor James Jackson, a kinsman of hers.

THE GRADY HOSPITAL AMBUlance collided with a trolley car on Whitehall street, between Alabama and Hunter, yesterday at noon, and the tongue of the ambulance was broken. The accident was caused by the horses shying while the car was passing.

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TODAY AT NOON
The First Methodist church property will be sold at auction. Rain or shine. Don't miss it.
FORREST & GEORGE ADAIR, Auctioneers.

CITY MARSHAL'S SALES.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—City of Atlanta April 9, 1903.—As Marshal of the city of Atlanta, I will sell before the door of the council chamber of the city of Atlanta to-wit: Before the street entrance to the City Hall, on Pryor street, at the corner of Hunter street, in said city of Atlanta on the first Tuesday in May, 1903, between the legal hours of sale the folowing described property, which has been levied on by me under execution issued by the city of Atlanta against said parcels of property and against said owners thereof for city taxes for the years 1895-1901-1902 and for the cost of constructing sewers adjacent said property, and paving and curbing, tentants in possession of each said parcel of property having been legally notified of such levies, to-wit:

193. A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 2, land lot 77, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 37 feet on the west side of Central avenue, between Hunter and Mitchell streets, and running back 140 feet, more or less, in a westerly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 99 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, adjoining Bollman. Levied on as the property of Thomas F. Corrigan to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Thomas F. Corrigan for city taxes for the year 1895.

24. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 4, land lot 51, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 40 feet on the west side of Newman street, between Ellis and Cain streets, and running back 100 feet, more or less, in a westerly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 5 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, adjoining Thomas. Levied on as the property of Henry and Sylvia Davis to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Henry and Sylvia Davis for city taxes for the year 1901. Sold for the benefit of Georgia Land Company.

28. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 4, land lot 45, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 50 feet on the west side of Yonge street, between Auburn avenue and Edgewood avenue, and running back 116 feet, more or less, in a westerly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 122 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, adjoining Nesbit. Levied on as the property of Mary Alexander et al. to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Mary Alexander et al. for city taxes for the year 1902. Sold for the benefit of the Georgia Land Company.

193. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 1, land lot 83, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 30 feet on the south side of Rhodes street, between Walnut and Vine streets, and running back 100 feet, more or less, in a southerly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 234 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, adjoining Connally. Levied on as the property of Frank Glenn to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Frank Glenn for city taxes for the year 1902. Sold for the benefit of the Traders' and Investment Company.

SEWERS.

2370. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 3, land lot 44, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 29 feet on the west side of South Boulevard, bewteen Dabney street and Berlen avenue, and running back 190 feet, more or less, in a westerly direction, the same being vacant property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Hay and Hirsch. Levied on as the property of Thomas L. Bishop to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Thomas L. Bishop for the proportion of the cost of constructing a sewer along South Boulevard lawfully chargeable to said lot.

2381. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 3, land lot 54, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 48 feet on the east side of Capitol avenue, between Ormond street and Atlanta avenue, and running back 200 feet, more or less, in an easterly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 500 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Bates and Kussy. Levied on as the property of John C. Taylor to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said John C. Taylor for the proportion of the cost of constructing a sewer along Capitol avenue lawfully chargeable to said lot.

2382. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 3, land lot 54, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 48 feet on the east side of Capitol avenue, between Ormond street and Atlanta avenue, and running back 200 feet, more or less, in an easterly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 492 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Ingheaham and Bates. Levied on as the property of John S. Parks to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said John S. Parks for the proportion of the cost of constructing a sewer along Capitol avenue lawfully chargeable to said lot.

2386. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 3, land lot 44, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 52 feet on the west side of Cherokee avenue, between Bryan street and Glennwood avenue, and running back 190 feet, more or less, in a westerly direction, the same being vacant property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Coker and Grant. Levied on as the property of Mrs. M. A. J. Laird to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Mrs. M. A. J. Laird for the proportion of the cost of constructing a sewer along Cherokee avenue lawfully chargeable to said lot.

2389. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 4, land lot 19, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 6 feet on the north side of Highland avenue, between Alaska avenue and Southern railway, and running back 140 feet, more or less, in a northerly direction, the same being vacant property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of the Southern railway right of way and Clemmons. Levied on as the property of John F. Clemmons to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said John F. Clemmons for the proportion of the cost of constructing a sewer along Highland avenue lawfully chargeable to said lot.

2390. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 4, land lot 19, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 48.5-10 feet on the north side of Highland avenue, between Alaska avenue and Southern railway, and running back 140 feet, more or less, in a northerly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 354 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Swanger and Clemmons. Levied on as the property of Mrs. Fannie Clemmons to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Mrs. Fannie Clemmons for the proportion of the cost of consturcting a sewer along Highland avenue lawfully chargeable to said lot.

2400. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 1, land lot 84, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 50¼ feet on the south side of West Hunter street, between Davis and Maple streets, and running back 100 feet, more or less, in a southerly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 206 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Hancock and Mangum. Levied on as the property of Ester Johnson to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Ester Johnson for the proportion of the cost of constructing a sewer along West Hunter street lawfully chargeable to said lot.

2424. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 4, land lot 46, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 70 feet on the west side of Fort street, between Auburn avenue and Rasberry alley, and running back 100 feet, more or less, in a westerly direction, the house on said lot known as Nos. 138-140 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of White and Rasberry alley. Levied on as the property of Caesar Miller to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Caesar Miller for the proportion of the cost of constructing a sewer along Fort street lawfully chargeable to said lot.

2426. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 5, land lot 79, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 104.5-10 feet on the north side of Gresham street, between Fowler and McAfee streets, and running back 105 feet, more or less, in a northerly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 38 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Martin and Gresham street. Levied on as the property of Mrs. Addie Clarke to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Mrs. Addie Clarke for the proportion of the cost of constructing a sewer along Gresham street lawfully chargeable to said lot.

PAVING.

2234. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 7, land lot 109, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 101.1-10 feet on the west side of Lee street, between Greensferry and Columbus avenues, and running back 120 feet, more or less, in a westerly direction, the same being vacant property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of an alley and Sale. Levied on as the property of George L. Steint to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said George L. Steint for the cost of paving the sidewalk in front of said property. Sold for the benefit of Frank G. Lake.

2233. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 7, land lot 109, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 52 feet on the west side of Lee street, between Greensferry and Columbus avenues, and running back 120 feet, more or less, in a westerly direction, the same being vacant property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Probst and Frank. Levied on as the property of George L. Steint to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said George L. Steint for the cost of paving the sidewalk in front of said property. Sold for the benefit of Frank G. Lake.

2430. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 2, land lot 75, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 160 feet on the south side of Bass street, between Pryor and Formwalt streets, and running back 49 feet, more or less, in a southerly direction, the same being vacant property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Pryor street and alley. Levied on as the property of G. W. Martin to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said G. W. Martin for the cost of paving the sidewalk in front of said property.

2383. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 5, land lot 78, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 200 feet on the southeast corner of Simpson and Hull streets, and running back 50 feet, more or less, in a southerly direction, the same being vacant property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Zohn. Levied on as the property of L. D. and A. C. Morris, executors of the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Morris, deceased, to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said L. D. and A. C. Morris, executors of the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Morris, deceased, for the cost of paving the sidewalk in front of said property.

2432. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 4, land lot 19, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 50 feet on the east side of Randolph street, between Edgewood and Auburn avenues, and running back 100 feet, more or less, in an easterly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 21 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Snow. Levied on as the property of Tansey Cook to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Tansey Cook for the cost of repairing the sidewalk in front of said property.

2354. Also, at same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain city lot, in the city of Atlanta, ward 2, land lot 85, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 71 feet on the southeast corner of Richardson and Ira streets, and running back 163 feet, more or less, in a southerly direction, the house on said lot known as No. 59 on said street according to street numbers, the same being improved property in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, adjoining the property of Hudson. Levied on as the property of Mrs. A. S. Clarke to satisfy a fi. fa. in favor of the city of Atlanta against said lot and against said Mrs. A. S. Clarke for the cost of repairing the sidewalk in front of said property.

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Nashville, Tenn., Apri... the Tennessee Breeders' ... gins its tenth annual sp... Cumberland Park. Durin... of sport something like ... distributed in stakes ... which some of the most ... in training will contest. ... new barns have been ere... during the winter, stable... exhausted and horses ar...

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Fifth Race—Four and ... selling: Empress of ... Pond, Bradley Bill, E... Sweetness and Light, ... strument, 96; Angelee, ...

Sixth Race—Five and ... selling: Fanforan, Go... L. Golden Cottage, An... Scot, Star Gazer, 12... Golden Prince, Dandy ... George Fabo, Bert Sa... tible, 117; Gay Hilda, ...

Carrollton v...

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PUBLIC MONEY ON FORE AND AFT

He Is Picked To Win the Chamberland Park Derby.

Six Colts Are Carded To Go with the Probability of an Added Starter. Barca Is Quoted as Second Choice — List of the Starters.

Nashville, Tenn., April 2.—Tomorrow the Tennessee Breeders' Association begins its tenth annual spring meeting at Cumberland Park. During the nine days of sport something like $30,000 will be distributed in stakes and purses, for which some of the most prominent horses in training will contest. Though many new barns have been erected at the park during the winter, stable room has been exhausted and horses are still arriving. Added to that large number that have wintered here, that contingent, including the stable of John A. Drake, containing Savable, High Chancellor, Wyeth and others of prominence, seven car loads of runners arrived from Memphis this morning and many more are expected tomorrow.

The weather tonight is clear and crisp and promises auspicious conditions for the opening day, when the Cumberland Derby, at 1 1-8 miles, with $3,000 added money, is the programme feature event. Six colts are carded to go with the probability of an added starter. Of these Fore and Aft, the good-looking son of George Kinney and Topsail, and the property of the local breeder, William B. Gest, will be the favorite. Jockey Milton Henry will have the mount and the colt will carry the local money almost exclusively. T. H. Stevens' Barca, with Helgerson up, is his perhaps next best liked, though Postmaster Wright, another local candidate, has many friends. J. Winkfield will pilot him, having been brought here especially for the event. Sinner Simon, on which Landry has the mount, is favorably regarded by many. Bardolph, his stable companion, is a doubtful starter. Bullman will ride Reservation, the Hendrie entry.

John F. Morse, of Chicago, will preside in the judges' stand, with S. M. Apperson and E. S. Carr as associates. May Overton will represent the Western Jockey Club as steward and A. B. Dade will do the starting. The no-recall system will be used. Six races are on the card for tomorrow, as follows:

First Race—Six furlongs: Jack Ratlin, 117; Carl Kahler, Whiskey King, 116; Louis Wagner, 112; High Chancellor, 106; Pirateer, 103.

Second Race—Four furlongs: Sweetie, 108; Triumvira, Allen, St. Luke, 108; Nannie Hodge, Soufriere, Miss Hortense, Lady Amelia, Pipe Dream, Katie Powers, Mafalda, 105; Nossa, Jessie Weller, 102.

Second Race—Seven furlongs, selling: Lou Rey, 109; Flaneur, 109; Galoit, 106; Invictus, 104; John Coulter, 103; Little Chico, 102; The Stewardess, 101; Whitsic, Domadge, Little Dutchess II, 100; Lapidus, 98; Crusader, Class Leader, 96; Velasquez, The Wizard, 97, apprentice allowance claimed.

Fourth Race—One and an eighth miles, the Cumberland Derby, $3,000 added: Reservation, Fore and Aft, Sinner Simon, Bardolph, 115; Barca, Postmaster Wright. Couple Sinner Simon and Bardolph as Gorman and Bauers' entry.

Fifth Race—Four and a half furlongs, selling: Empress of India, 110; Bird Pond, Bradley Bill, Easter Walters, 100; Sweetness and Light, 98; Seashell, 97; Instrument, 95; Angelee, 92.

Sixth Race—Five and a half furlongs, selling: Fanforan, Governor Sayers, Ed L. Golden Cottage, Anglesea, The Black Scot, Star Gazer, 121; Carrie I. The Golden Prince, Dandy Belle, Al Lone, 119; George Fabb, Bert Sargeant, 118; Irresistible, 117; Gay Hilda, 116.

Carrollton v. Senoia.

Carrollton, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Carrollton's baseball team has just returned from Senoia, where they played two match games with the Senoia local team on Monday and Tuesday afternoons. The engagements are reported as being very interesting ones, some fine playing being done on either side at stages. The Monday's contest was awarded to Senoia by a score of 8 to 6 and Carrollton won on Tuesday by a score of 13 to 11.

Alabama 21; Sewanee 0.

Tuscaloosa, Ala., April 22.—(Special.)—The University of Alabama defeated Sewanee again this afternoon by a score of 21 to 0. The Alabama team played fast and the visitors were put out in one-two-three order. Several beautiful plays were made by Alabama, Foreman's home run being the feature of the game.

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NEW SLABMAN FOR CRACKERS

Captain Kennedy of New York State League Signed by Manager Powell.

Still another twirler has been added to Manager Powell's staff of Cracker crackajacks, and this time it is John Kennedy, who last season pitched for Ilion in the New York State League.

Kennedy is considered by those who have seen his work as a twirler of unusual ability, and he comes south to work this year on account of the climate.

He had a winning record with Ilion last season, taking the majority of the games in which he reposed on the slab. He did good work for Albany and Troy, of the New York League, the season before.

With the addition of the old war horse, Gus Weyhing, and Kennedy, the total number of the Crackers' staff is swelled to nine, including Ruehr, Wilson, Cole, Russell, Hale, Vittur, Kennedy, Craig and Weyhing.

Manager Powell will carry a staff of four pitchers, and so the question which now confronts the local magnate is as to who of the number on the roll will be dropped and who will be retained. It seems at present that all are on an equal footing, so Manager Powell will take his time about deciding. He is in no hurry to let any of the men go.

The two new men, Kennedy and Weyhing, will report for duty Saturday, and if in condition may do work in the box during the opening series with Montgomery.

DIAMOND CHIPS.

Much is expected of Gus Weyhing.

Local fandom is beginning to bubble with enthusiasm and nervous expectancy over the coming series with the Whistlers. How are the Crackers going to start off is the question heard on every side.

Powell is picked to win by others beside Atlantans.

Amateur fanatics are looking forward with interest to the annual Memorial day game between Georgia and the Tech. The Blacksmiths say they will win out from the Athenians, but the latter say nit.

The Blacksmiths against Wake Forest today.

Solomon will pitch for the Techs in the game at Brisbine this afternoon. He is the man who let the heavy-hitting Baptists down with only two hits last Saturday, so the boys from Wake Forest will have to look well to the handling of the stick if the sound of swatting is heard in the land.

Happy Harry in for the Crackers tomorrow.

The Cincinnati team of Reds is made up almost entirely of ex-slabmen. Each man in the outfield was at one time a pitcher, and three out of four men of the infielders have done box duty.

Ed Lauzon—the Chesterfield of the Crackers.

"Oh, dear," said an enthusiastic fanesse at the game the other day, "Mr. Lauzon can certainly bow gracefully. He was so polite to that little Tech pitcher."

Catcher Matthews is expected back Saturday.

"A ten-inning victory with Chicago, a twelve-inning tie game with Detroit and two out of the three games with St. Paul—one of them a shut out. This is something like a creditable record, eh?"—The Montgomery Advertiser, speaking of the Whistlers.

Vittur's arm is in good shape again.

"Bob Stafford is the best field captain in the Southern League, and there are few like him in any of the big leagues," said a fan yesterday. "The Atlanta team has improved 100 per cent since he came."

Everybody in town to the ball parks Monday.

There is a fight on between Montgomery and Baltimore over Clarence Childs. Secretary Farrell, of the National Association, has notified Childs that he must play in Montgomery or nowhere. Manager Whistler is determined to have him.

It is understood that Dick Crozier is getting a little nervous as the season approaches.

Arkansas Gazette: Mickey Finn has been for the past week engaged in the pleasant task of weeding out his players, so as to leave a team which will win the pennent for Little Rock the coming season. Once we had the rag, but Nashville grabbed us by the coat tail and pulled us down, after which she climbed to the first hole. Last season Little Rock did not get a foothold until too late to go after first place, but managed to finish second. When the meeting was held here to fix the official standing for the finish Little Rock and New Orleans did the Alphonse-Gaston act, and Mickey Finn declared that Abner Powell simply must take second place or he would be mortally offended, and Abner accepted.

TEN-PIN BALL FOR MR. CAIRD

Jack Wilson Presented This Crack Bowler with Handsome Ball Cover.

Robert A. Caird, the crack ten-pin bowler of Atlanta, and holder of the year's record at Jack Wilson's alleys, received yesterday the handsome ball and cover which he won last February with a score of 266.

The ball presented to Mr. Caird is the finest and best ball that Jack Wilson could procure. It is regulation size and weighs sixteen pounds, and is accompanied by a handsome cover.

Ball Team for Rome

Rome, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Rome is determined not to be behind in baseball this summer and John E. Coker is now making arangements to sign his team for this season. He is in correspondence with several fast young players, and it is understood that three or four good men have already been signed.

Rome has been a good ball town for the past few years, and clean games are well patronized here. There are several players now in fast company who were at one time members of the Rome team. Henry Matthews, Atlanta's crack catcher, played here one season, and was a prime favorite. "War" Sanders, now with St. Louis; Cribbens, with Indianapolis, and George McConnell, with Birmingham, all played here, and have a host of friends who watch their records with interest.

SEASON OPENED BY AMERICANS

Attendance Was Large and Three Home Cities Won.

The American League season was opened yesterday with games in Philadelphia, Detroit, Washington and St. Louis. The opening was remarkable for the large attendance in three of the cities.

The victorious teams were Philadelphia, Detroit, Washington and Chicago. St. Louis was the only home team suffering defeat.

Philadelphia 6; Boston 1.

Philadelphia, April 22.—Mayor Weaver officiated at the American League opening here today by marching across the field with the players, unfurling the championship pennant and throwing out the first ball. President Johnson witnessed the game.

The champions won from Boston by timely batting. Dineen and Waddell were both in fine form, but in the eighth inning Dineen weakened after Boston had tied the score and the locals hit him safely six times for five runs. Attendance 13,578.

Score by innings:		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	1	4	1
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5 *	6	12	3

Batteries: Dineen and Farrell; Waddell and Screckenghost.

Detroit 4; Cleveland 2.

Detroit, April 22.—Detroit won the opening American League game from Cleveland before a large crowd. In spite of the intense cold, the stands were jammed and the field was surrounded so that a two-base-hit rule was enforced. The pitching was about equal. Attendance, 16,482.

Score by innings:		R.	H.	E.
Detroit	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 2 *	4	7	2
Cleveland	1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	7	3

Batteries: Mullin and McAllister; Joss and Bemis.

Washing 3; New York 1.

Washington, April 22.—The American League season opened today with a game between Washington and New York, and resulted in a defeat for the new member of the league. Nearly 12,000 persons witnessed the game, necessitating a ground rule. The visitors scored their only run in the opening inning, Keeler getting first on balls, third on a single and scoring on a fielder's choice. Washington won the game on three successive hits and an error by Long in the fifth inning.

Score by innings:		R.	H.	E.
Washington	0 0 0 1 2 0 0 0 0	3	6	3
New York	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	6	2

Batteries: Orth and Clarke; Chesbro and O'Connor.

Chicago 14; St. Louis 4.

St. Louis, April 22.—St. Louis got off to a bad break in the opening game of the season today with Chicago, the latter winning, 14 to 4. Donahue, who pitched for St. Louis, was hit for sixteen safe drives, and was poorly supported in the field. Flaherty pitched a good game, and was well supported. The weather was extremely chilly. Attendance, 3,800.

Score by innings:		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 2	4	10	4
Chicago	0 3 4 1 0 3 3 0 0	14	16	2

Batteries: Donahue and Kahoe; Flaherty and McFarland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston 2; Philadelphia 1.

Boston, Mass., April 22.—It took Boston twelve innings to beat Philadelphia today. In the last inning Cooley opened with a triple over Thomas' head and came home with the winning run on Carney's long fly to center.

Score by innings:		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1	2	11	0
Philadelphia	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	9	1

Batteries: Malarkey and Moran; Duggleshy and Roth. Time, 1:54. Attendance, 1,083. Umpire, O'Day.

New York 7; Brooklyn 2.

Brooklyn, N. Y., April 22.—New York defeated Brooklyn again today in the last game of the series. New York hit the ball opportunely, Bresnahan and Warner each making a hit for three bases.

Score by innings:		R.	H.	E.
New York	1 0 0 0 0 3 3 0 0	7	12	1
Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2	2	7	0

Batteries: McGinnity and Warner; Evans and McManus. Time, 1:30. Umpire, Moran. Attendance, 3,100.

Chicago 3; Cincinnati 5.

Chicago, April 22.—The home team was defeated in the opening game of the season here today because of inability to hit Harper. The locals played a pretty fielding game.

Score by innings:		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1	3	5	1
Cincinnati	1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2	5	9	4

Batteries: Taylor and Kling; Harper and Peitz. Time, 1:55. Umpires, Emslie and Holliday. Attendance, 3,200.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Louisville, 2; Indianapolis, 4.
Toledo, 0; Columbus, 2.
Kansas City, 8; Minneapolis, 4.
Milwaukee, 10; St. Paul, 7.

Other College Games.

University of Pennsylvania 18, Rutgers 3.
Princeton 4, Fordham 1.
Yale 13, Columbia 3.
Harvard 15, Naval Cadets 3.
Georgetown 10, Dickinson 0.
Charlottsville, Va., April 22.—University of Virginia 7, Pantop's School 1.

Brambilla Wins at Epson.

London, April 22.—At the Epsom spring meeting today the City and Suburban handicap was won by Brambilla. Velenza was second and Overnorton was third. Fifteen horses ran.

Shamrock III in Dry Dock.

Southampton, April 22.—The Shamrock III was placed in dry dock today. It was found that she had sustained no damage below the water line.

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WAKE FOREST AGAINST TECH

These Two Strong College Aggregations Meet at Brisbine Today.

Blacksmiths from the Tech will meet the strong aggregation of ball tossers from Wake Forest at Brisbine park at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The game promises to be hotly contested from start to finish. The Wake Forest team played Georgia yesterday afternoon and reports from Athens indicate that



SOLOMON, STAR PITCHER
Of the Techs, who will be in the box this afternoon.

they are still more confident of winning the game from the Tech after the showing made by the team in the game with the Georgians.

The Tech is equally as confident of winning the game as the North Carolinians, and base this confidence on the outcome of the game in Athens yesterday.

Wake Forest has played eight games since the season opened, and of this number two have been lost. The Techs have played three games and lost two, but assert that they have lost their last.

Both pitchers, Solomon and Murphy, will be seen in the box for the Blacksmiths this afternoon, and this means that the Wake Forest batters will have to look well to their stick work.

The two teams will line up as follows:

TECH.	WAKE FOREST.
Patterson, rf.	Sams, ss.
Freeman, ss.	Hobgood, 3b.
Cannon, lf.	Dunn, p.
Brinson, 2b.	Dowd, 2b.
McPhail, cf.	Edward, rf.
Fisher, 3b.	Pace, 1b.
Maddox, 3b.	Vann, lf.
Woodward, c.	Harris, cf.

Solomon, Murphy and Poole, pitchers.

GEORGIA DOWNS WAKE FOREST

By Score of 9 to 0 the Athens Boys Walked Away with the Game.

Athens, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The Georgia team has at last buried her hoodoo. She accomplished this this afternoon when she blanked Wake Forest, winning a well played game by the score of 9 to 0. The game was all one way and was never in doubt after the first inning.

Only two errors were charged up to the Georgia aggregation, while they have to their credit fourteen hits, two of them being home runs and two two-baggers.

The Crackers presented a different line-up from any so far this season. Fleischman, a new man, was placed at short and did wonderful work, escaping the error column and making three hits. Anderson, one of Georgia's twirlers, held down second in great shape. Walker, the old short, was shipped to right field, made no errors and cracked out a home run.

The Wake Forest team was good at fielding and poor in the batting line. Their catcher did excellent work. However, they were not in Georgia's class. The work of ack Bower, for Georgia, was of the sensational order. Throughout the game he was very wild, but in critical moments steadied down and played a magnificent game.

Official score:

GEORGIA—	ab.	r.	h.	e.
Jaques, cf.	6	1	1	0
Harmon, 3b.	5	1	1	0
Walker, rf.	5	2	2	0
Beaver, 1b.	5	2	2	1
Anderson, 2b.	5	1	3	0
Dickerson, c.	5	0	1	0
McCalla, lf.	4	1	1	0
Fleischman, ss.	5	0	3	0
Bower, p.	4	1	0	0
Totals	44	9	14	1

WAKE FOREST—	ab.	r.	h.	e.
Sams, ss.	3	0	0	0
Hobgood, 3b.	3	0	0	1
Dunn, p.	4	0	0	0
Dowd, 2b.	4	0	0	0
King, c.	4	0	1	0
Edward rf.	4	0	1	0
Pace, 1b	3	0	1	1
Vann, lf.	2	0	0	1
Harris, cf.	3	0	0	1
Totals	30	0	3	4

Score by innings: —		
Georgia	0 2 1 0 2 2 0 0 2	9
Wake Forest	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0

Summary—Home runs, Walker, Anderson; two-base hits, Harmon, Beaver; struck out, by Bower 7, by Dunn 8; base on balls, off Bower 2, off Dunn 2; hit by pitched balls, Bower; stolen bases, King 2, Edwards, Vann, Dickerson, McCalla. Umpire, Lloyd Foster. Time, 1 hour, 45 minues.

OZONE EVENT WON BY AGNES BRENNAN

She Gallops Home in Front at Aqueduct Track.

THREE FAVORITES IN FRONT

In the First Race Grand Opera Lowered the Track Record for Six Furlongs — Rosetint, at 7 to 1, One of the Winning Long Shots.

New York, April 22.—Agnes Brennan, running in the colors of Fred Burlew, galloped home an easy winner by three lengths in the Ozone stakes at Aqueduct today. August Belmont's entry, Ninepin and Oriza, finished second and third, respectively. Grand Opera, in the first race, lowered the track record for 6 furlongs, covering the distance in 1:13 2-5, which is 2-5 of a second faster than Kilogram's record, made last year. Rosetint, making her first appearance of the year, romped home an easy winner in the third race. Three favorites won. Weather cloudy; track fast.

FIRST RACE—Handicap, 6 furlongs: Grand Opera, 111 (Shaw), 8 to 5, won; Yellow Tail, 117 (Waterbury), 12 to 5, second; New York, 110 (Redfern), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 2-5. Flying Buttress, Homestead and Early Eve ran.

SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs, selling: Kingraine, 15 (W. Lewis), 11 to 5, won; Lord Advocate, 112 (T. Burns), 10 to 1, second; Northbrook, 105 (Gannon), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:29. Clorita, Eloim, Cincinnatus, Ernest Parham, Cloche d'Or, The Guide, Alpaca, King Bramble and Showman ran.

THIRD RACE—Five and one-half furlongs: Rosetint, 109 (T. Burns), 7 to 1, won; Sweet Alice, 109 (Fuller), 15 to 1, second; Futurita, 103 (Gannon), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:07 4-5. Ocean Dream, Torchlight, Mutiny, Princess Tulane, Mamarie, Tioga, Lieschen, Ondurls, Show Girl and Singing Nymph ran.

FOURTH RACE—The Ozone stakes, 4 1-2 furlongs, selling: Agnes Brennan, 108 (O'Neil), 6 to 5, won; Ninepin, 105 (Minder), 7 to 2, second; Oriza, 99 (Wilkinson), 7 to 2, third. Time, :55 2-5. Wizard, Bruceville, Extralaw and Bronx ran.

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs, selling: Lord Turco, 90 (DeSousa), 8 to 1, won; Polite, 99 (Fuller), 8 to 1, second; Albany Girl, 99 (Haack), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 3-5. Snowdrift O'Reilly, Adele Harding, Flara, Aminte, Griffiths, Khital, Alhambra, Faranless, Viviani, Arak, Claymore, Colonel Rorer and Silver Plush ran.

SIXTH RACE—Four and one-half furlongs: Julia M, 105 (Cochran), 8 to 5, won; Seymour, 108 (Burns), 6 to 5, second; Spring, 108 (Haack), 7 to 1, third. Time, :55 2-5. Grande Vitesse, Moorhen and Matamoras ran.

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CARDS FOR TODAY AT VARIOUS TRACKS

Today's Entries at Acqueduct.

First Race—Five furlongs: Cyprienne, 107; Miss Nancy, 105; Thunder Bay, 102; Evelyn Arnold, St. Juvenal, 101; Listaway, 99; Alcomer, 89; Miss McKinna, McGonigle, Dixie aradise, Honey Boy, 94.

Second Race—Five and a half furlongs, handicap: Articulate, 126; Royal, 122; Demurrer, 114; Grand Opera, 111; Invincible, 109; Sister Juliet, 107; Candling, 105; Duelist, 104; Roue, 102; Saccharometer, 96; Ivernia, Sweet Alice, 90.

Third Race—Mile and 70 yards, The Flushing Stakes: Ethics, 110; Potente, 106; Torch Light, 103; Silverian, 102; Ben Howard, 101; Dark lanet, 84.

Fourth Race—Four and a half furlongs: Miss McKenna, Low Cut, Miss Eugene, Romaunt, Fickle, Mrs. Bessie Fullum, Ishlana, Caddie Mac, Julia M, All Colors, Australina, Reverberate, 108.

Fifth Race—Seven furlongs, selling: Arden, 119; Courtenay, 113; Alado, 112; Graden, 108; True Blue, Trebor, 107; Rostand, Spring Silk, 106; Pittacus, 100; Cranesville, 96; Cherubim, 95; Anna Daly, 93; Black Diana, Frank Rice, 91; Star and Garter, 88; Jove, 101.

Sixth Race—Six furlongs: Nevermore, Illyria, 109; Athlana, Miladi Love, Pittacus, Courtmald, Alan, 104; Cruachan, 99; Twin Rose, 96.

Today's Entries at St. Louis.

First Race—Six furlongs: Leila Barr, Thisbe 107, Parnassus, Prestonian, Ben Hullum 106, Cousin Rose 93, Peter Duryea 112, Kinlight, Hallucination 88, Kilmoncliffe, Submarine 102, Vici Vance, King's Pet 109, Mollie T. 104, Fergurtha 99.

Second Race—One mile, purse: Barkelmore, Chamblee, Deutschland 91, Ben Lear 88, Travers 107, First One 105, Itacatiara 103, Paramount 86.

Third Race—One and one-eighth miles, selling: Rastus, Socapa, King Barleycorn 107, Optimo 101, Aimless 96, Denny Duffy 110, Sarilla 105, Tammany Chief 102, Compass 108.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs, stake: Maud Gonne 125, Bridge 108, Travers 120, Ranchman 94, Delagoa 112, Night Owl 90, Elastic 123, Sylvia Talbot 110, Crimean 117.

Fifth Race—Seven furlongs, purse: Lord Melbourne, Judge Cantrill, Pirate 97, Night Owl, Lady Jocelyn 95, Prince Richard 114, Bengal 111, Glendon, Welcome Light 100, Buccleuth 106, Kitty Clyde 114.

Sixth Race—Six furlongs, selling: Nyx, Fridolin, Iris, Myra Morella, John Grigsby 107, Madam 111, Erema 104, Called Back 99, Dr. Scharff 110, Immortelle 90, N. M. Kaufman 109, Ziri 105, Naulahka 95, Dr. Hart 106.

Today's Entries at Lakeside.

First Race—Four and one-half furlongs: Judge Luthers, Plea 103; Sunnybrook, Pocasset, Bayview, Jerry Flanigan, Don Domo 106.

Second Race—Six furlongs: Blue Mint 104; Jaubert, Frank Murray 103; Soothsayer 102; Gracious 101; Stemwinder 100; Uranium 96.

Third Race—Five furlongs: Automaton 110; Dr. O'Neal 97; Mimo 96; Acmetor 35; Veneer 96; Animula 94; Oklahoma Belle 90; Marlin 87; Discharged 85; Lula Glaser 86; Wengernalp 86; Lacache 83.

Fourth Race—Handicap, mile and fifty yards: Owenton 108; Felix Bard 106; Antonius 105; Rankin 97.

Fifth Race—Mile: Tayon 111; Prince of Africa 107; Prairie Dog 104; Doeskin, Pronta 998; Dan McKinna, Bondage 96.

Sixth Race—Mile, selling: Sidney Sabath 110; John J. Regan 109; Hedge 107; Chicago Girl 103; San Sargassa 102; Springstead, Mireina 101; Merciful, Lahona 100; Irene Mac 996.

WILL VISIT CHATTANOOGA

Adjutant Corbin and Secretary of War Root.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 22.—(Special.) Mayor Chamberliss today received a letter from Adjutant General H. C. Corbin, accepting an invitation from the city government and the various municipal organizations for himself and Secretary of War Root to visit Chattanooga in June, and a banquet will be tendered them and they will be highly entertained.



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AT LAKESIDE.

MAGGIE LEIBER, 50 TO 1, REWARDS KNOWING ONES

Chicago, April 22.—The fourth race at Lakeside today furnished the most exciting finish seen during the present meeting. Omdurman, Lingo and Chop Suey were so close together at the wire that it was not known which had won until the numbers were hung out. The judges placed Omdurman first, Lingo second, and Chop Suey third. The first race went to Maggie Leeber, backed down from 50 to 1 to 30 to 1 at post time. She won by six lengths. The other four races were won by three favorites and one second choice. Weather clear and cool; track slow.

FIRST RACE—Four and one-half furlongs: Maggie Leeber, 110 (Majors), 30 to 1, won; Lady Free Knight, 110 (Phillips), even, second; Lady Fonso, 105 (Birkenruth), 7 to 2, third. Time, 0:57. Cassie Schuler, Belle Juan, Ida Davis and Henlene ran.

SECOND RACE—Six and one-half furlongs: Angelo, 112 (Dominick), even, won; Prodigal Son, 108 (J. Walsh), 20 to 1, second; Reeves, 108 (C. Kelly), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:24. Uranium, Hattie Walker, Sly Boots, Fullback, Dr. Moody, Gold Bride and Redera ran.

THIRD RACE—One mile and seventy yards: Haydon, 101 (Hall), 7 to 5, won; Allee, 108 (Dominick), 2 to 1, second; Frank M., 100 (Phillips), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 1-5. Ida V., Hedge and Pyrrho ran. Pyrrho bled.

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs: Omdurman, 109 (Dominick), 6 to 5, won; Lingo, 101 (Phillips), 4 to 1, second; Chop Suey, 106 (J. Baker), 13 to 10, third. Time, 1:29 2-5. Our Bessie, Allopath and Fake ran.

FIFTH RACE—Four furlongs: Shaitan, 100 (H. Phillips), 4 to 1, won; Lawndale, 108 (Murphy), 7 to 10, second; Unique, 105 (Ferrell), 12 to 1, third. Time, 0:51. Cropple, Dick Rinley, Sunnybrook, Elsie Devere, Alice Morgan ran.

SIXTH RACE—One mile an a quarter: Dutch Carter, 100 (Phillips), 2 to 1, won; Dodie S., 96 (Sinclair), 6 to 1, second; Malay, 105 (J. Walsh), 8 to 1, third. Time, 2:11. Miss Liza finished second, but was disqualified for fouling. False Lead and Goldaga ran.

AT ST. LOUIS

ON THE QUIET, AT 4 TO 1, GALLOPS HOME IN FRONT

St. Louis, April 22.—The weather was bright, but cold, and the track fast at Kinloch park today. The starting gate was given another successful test, the horses getting away in perfect alignment. The books were hit hard on the fourth and fifth races, Emshee in the fourth, Elastic in the fifth being well backed. Elastic won by six lengths, while Emshee had a close finish. In the first, On the Quiet, at 40 to 1, was also successful.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs, purse: On the Quiet, 105 (Irvin), 40 to 1, won; Sigmund, 117 (J. Boland), 4 to 1, second; Prince Eugene, 105 (Davisson), 4 to 1, third. Time 1:16 1-2. Noweta, Prince Adleer, Cursus, Crutchfield, Blue Grass Girl, Shot Proof, Style, Dr. Kammerer, Light Opera, Escanaba and Cannell ran.

SECOND RACE—Four and a half furlongs, purse: Rainland, 111 (Otis), 6 to 5, won; Brick Fowler, 101 (Singleton), 4 to 1, second; Oram McKenney, 98 (F. Smith), 15 to 1, third. Time :56 1-2. Mat Wadleight, Foghorn, Pinky B, J. I. Mack and Quartee ran.

THIRD RACE—Six and a half furlongs, selling: Boundlee, 106 (Spencer), 2 to 1, won; Reducer, 109 (Earl), 8 to 5, second; Miss Aubrey, 108 (L. A. Munroe), 10 to 1, third. Time 1:23. Bounteous, Dr. Clark, Hengist, Rayomen, Iris, Varner, Pamplona, Nyx, Kissquick and Mike Strauss ran.

FOURTH RACE—Mile, purse: Emshee, 106 (Otis), 3 to 2, won; Kaffir, 103 (Earl), 7 to 1, second; Glenwater, 115 (C. Fraes), 11 to 5, third. Time 1:42. Dubois, Flintlock, Albert F. Dewey, Boaster, W. B. Gates and Kenova ran.

FIFTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs, purse: Elastic, 119 (Singleton), 2 to 1, won; Fatherwenter, 116 (J. Boland), 8 to 1, second; Sir Christopher, 116 (F. Smith), 5 to 1, third. Time 1:08. Dollie Layman, Mrs. Wiggs, Hieaway, King Hammon, Maverick, Herodes, Silver Fringe and Lord Melbourne ran.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Bank Street, 91 (W. H. Wood), 5 to 2, won; False, 110 (Romanelli), 12 to 1, second; Irving Mayer, 112 (Munro), 15 to 1, third. Time 1:50. Chorus Boy, Sapere, Lula Minor, Rastus, Brownvail, Charles D. Ledee, Accolade and Free Pass ran.

AT MEMPHIS

MAJOR TENNY CAPTURES PEABODY HOTEL HANDICAP

Memphis, Tenn., April 22.—After probably the most successful meeting in the history of the Memphis Jockey Club, the spring racing season was brought to a close today. There was an exodus of horses tonight, many prominent stables going to Nashville, while others were shipped to St. Louis and Chicago.

Today's stake event was the Peabody hotel handicap at a mile and an eighth, for which the Hildreth entry, Favonius and Major Tenny, sold slight favorites over Harry New. The start was a poor effort with Major Tenny and South Breeze in the rear position. Hall rode a fine race on the former and, nursing his mount well up the back stretch, allowed Favonius and Harry New to make the running. Turning for the wire, Major Tenny closed up a big gap and won handily from Huzzah.

The special match race at 5 furlongs between Schorr's Molinos and Fayes' Ed Tierney resulted in an easy victory for the former. The proverbial long shot galloped home a winner in the lace race, Bean at 50 to 1 cleverly beating Henry of Franstamar. Summary:

FIRST RACE—Five and a half furlongs, purse: Sister Kate II, 108 (A. Hall), 5 to 2, won; Della Ostrand, 108 (Treanor), 4 to 5, second; Betmuda, 101 (D. Hall), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:10. Diamonds and Rubies, George Arab and Lieber Anton also ran.

SECOND RACE—One mile, selling: Sarah Maxim, 96 (McIntyre), 8 to 5, won; Farmer Jim, 106 (Wonderly), 8 to 5, second; Ginsprag, 102 (A. Hall), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:42 1-4. Beautiful and Best, O'Hagen and Faraday, Jr., also ran.

THIRD RACE—Four and a half furlongs: Penfaur, 118 (Bullman), 2 to 5, won; Esherson, 113 (H. Booker), 3 to 1, second; Shades of Night, 105 (Head), 60 to 1, third. Time, :57 1-2. Morning Star and Prado also ran.

FOURTH RACE—One mile and an eighth, Peabody hotel handicap, $1,000 added: Major Tenny, 100 (A. Hall), 2 to 1, won; Huzzah, 100 (Wonderly), 10 to 1, second; Harry New, 111 (Coburn), 12 to 5, third. Time, 1:55 3-4. The Den, Love's Labor, Nitrate, Favonius and South Breeze also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Five furlongs, special match, purse $500: Molinos, 110 (Bullman), 6 to 5, won; E. Tierney, 110 (Coburn), 7 to 10, second. Time, 1:02 3-4.

SIXTH RACE—One mile and a sixteenth, purse: Rolling Boer, 108 (Henry), 8 to 5, won; C. B. Campbell, 110 (Coburn), 9 to 2, second; Judge Himes, 89 (Helgerson), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:49 1-2. Ohnet, Georgia Gardner also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs, selling: Bean, 90 (A. Hall), 50 to 1, won; Henry of Franstamar, 98 (Schilling), 9 to 1, second; Lysbeth, 94 (McIntyre), 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:17. Red Hook, Benfrost, Model Monarch, Jane Oaker, Budweiser, Loretta Gale and Bill Logan also ran.

Excursion Rates to St. Louis, Via the Scenic A., K. and N. Ry.

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HEARING TO COME OFF IN MAY

Petition To Extend Navigable Portion of Savannah River.

Savannah, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—The hearing upon the petitions of Augusta industrial enterprises and individuals, asking that the navigable portion of the Savannah river be so extended as to reach two or three miles above Augusta, will be accorded in this city in the office of Captain C. E. Gillette on May 1. The petitioners, the city of Augusta and the Southern railway, will all be given an opportunity to present their respective sides of the case.

Linton Maddox Improving.

Rome, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—Young Linton Maddox, who was operated upon for appendicitis Monday and who has been in such a critical condition since, passed a somewhat better day and his many friends throughout Georgia will be pleased to learn that the physicians in charge now consider his chances of recovery somewhat brighter.

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COTTON WAS FIRM IN EARLY TRADIIG

Liverpool Better, Weather Less Favorable, Port Receipts Smaller.

FACTORS FOR AN ADVANCE

Of 4 to 10 Points at the Close—Estimates of Insignt Figures Heavy. Stocks Active and Firm—Business Light.

New York, April 22.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 1 to 4 points, and influenced by better Liverpool cables than due on the New York close of yesterday, rather less favorable weather reported from the cotton belt and smaller port receipts for the day, displayed considerable further firmness under buying for both accounts. Under these factors prices were advanced to a level of 5 to 15 points above the closing figures of last night. Then a reactionary tendency was developed as a result of realizing and the market, ruling somewhat irregular toward the close, was finally quiet, net 4 to 10 points higher. Total sales futures estimated 200,000 bales.

The Liverpool market this morning was due to come about 2 to 3 1-2 points higher, but at the time of the local opening prices there were 2 1-4 to 4 points higher and the close was at an advance of 4 1-2 to 6 points. Port receipts for the day turned out 10,618 bales, against 12,630 last year and estimates for tomorrow's receipts at leading points were moderate. The early advance was also encouraged by rumors that the bull leader was to return to New York, and it was stated that clique brokers were buyers after the local opening, this bringing about talk of a May and possibly July squeeze. The profit taking toward the close was accelerated by a bearish interior movement, the light exports for the day, amounting to but 2,756 bales, and large estimates of into sight for the week, which is currently expected to reach 120,000 bales, against 82,000 last year, while the spot markets in the south, though firm, were generally unchanged.

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The Dry Goods Market.

New York, April 22.—The raw weather of the day has not been conducive to a free business in dry goods either at first or second hands. Few buyers have been present and purchases are for restricted quantities. No weakening in values is apparent, although contracts are running out in certain quarters.

The following was the range of cotton contracts in New York yesterday:

MONTHS	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Last sale	Closing bid and asked
April	......	......	......	......	10 23-25
May	10 22	10 34	10 22	10 28	10 27-28
June	......	......	......	......	9 89-90
July	9 83	9 94	9 83	9 90	9 89-90
August	9 47	9 55	9 47	9 51	9 51-52
September	8 82	7 86	8 81	9 86	8 85-86
October	8 55	8 59	8 55	8 58	8 58-59
November	8 45	8 48	8 45	8 48	8 48-49
December	8 44	8 48	8 44	8 47	8 47-48
January	......	......	......	......	......
February	......	......	......	......	......
March	......	......	......	......	......

Futures closed steady.

Following table shows receipts, exports and stock at all ports yesterday:

	RECEIPTS 1903	RECEIPTS 1902	EXPORTS 1903	EXPORTS 1902	STOCKS 1903	STOCKS 1902
Saturday	24540	8734	14862	20954	344922	622734
Monday	12836	9473	4941	16972	343134	608586
Tuesday	18671	12940	2079	9612	358416	605472
Wednesd'y	10604	12630	2756	5200	364338	613185
Thursday	......	......	......	......	......	......
Friday			......	......	......	......
Total	66451	43867	24438	52738	......	......

The following were the closing bids for cotton futures in New Orleans:

April	10 02	October	8 48
May	10 11	November	8 37
June	10 13	December	8 36
July	10 18	January	.
August	9 62	February	.....
September	8 91	March	. ...

Futures closed steady.

The Liverpool Market.

Liverpool, April 22—12:15 p. m.—Cotton, spot, business moderate with prices firmer; middling uplands 5.44; sales 7,000 bales; American 6,300; speculation and export 500; receipts 6,000; American 2,500.

Futures opened steady.

	Open'g.	Closing.
April	5 23	5 26
April-May	.....	5 25
May-June	5 24	5 25 26
June-July	5 24	5 26
July-August	5 23	5 25-26
August-September	5 14	5 16
September-Octobe	4 79	5 81
October-November	4 61	4 63
November-December	4 54	4 56

Futures closed firm.

Cotton Region Bulletin.

For the 24 hours ending at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time, April 22, 1903:

STATIONS OF DISTRICT.	Temperature Max.	Temperature Min.	Rainfall, inches and hundredths.
Atlanta, clear	66	48	.00
Chattanooga, clear	68	46	.00
Columbus, clear	76	50	.00
Gainesville, clear	69	46	.00
Greenville, clear	69	43	.00
Griffin, clear	72	46	.00
Macon, clear	73	49	.00
Monticello, clear	74	49	.00
Newnan, clear	68	47	.00
Rome, clear	71	46	.00
Spartanburg, clear	71	47	.00
Tallapoosa, clear	72	44	.00
Toccoa, clear	72	48	.00
West Point, clear	76	44	.00

CENTRAL STATION.	Number of stations reporting.	District Averages: Temperature Max.	Temperature Min.	Rainfall, inches and hundredths.
Atlanta	14	72	46	.00
Augusta	9	74	48	.00
Charleston	5	72	50	.00
Galveston	33	74	52	.01
Little Rock	14	76	48	.00
Memphis	16	72	14	T
Mobile	9	74	48	.00
Montgomery	10	72	50	.00
New Orleans	14	78	52	.00
Oklahoma	11	74	46	.00
Savannah	11	76	52	.00
Vicksburg	13	76	50	.00
Wilmington	10	66	44	T

Remarks—Generally fair weather has prevailed over the belt with the exception of Galveston, Memphis and Wilmington districts where the precipitation was light. Temperatures are slightly higher in the western portion of the belt; elsewhere they are somewhat lower.

J. B. MARBURY,
Local Forecast Official.

Review of the New Orleans Market.

New Orleans, April 22.—There was a moderate business in the spot market today at full prices, factors refusing to make concessions to the purchasing element. Weather reports from the bureau, and also from the country, show that many sections are suffering for want of rain; not only has planting been delayed but that part of the crop already planted is suffering for want of moisture. Sales 3,500 bales, including 450 to arrive. Quotations unchanged.

Futures were up a few points on the opening and continued to advance until prices were 3 to 9 points above yesterday's closing. Profit-taking on the part of scalpers caused a reaction. This was followed by another upward turn, the market remaining firm to the close, when the board showed net gains of 8 to 10 points on April, May, June and July, 6 on August, 5 on September and 2 to 3 on the other months.

Bruce, Jones & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, April 22.—Cables from Liverpool this morning reflected the strength of our market yesterday, and prices at the English center were 4 to 5 points higher. This was better than looked for, and our market opened at an advance of 1 to 4 points. There was a good demand from shorts and the July option seemed to be the favorite medium of speculation, although there was a noteworthy increase in the transactions in the later options. Values improved during the morning, and shortly after noon were at the highest point of the day. Statistics were mixed, the semi-weekly showing a gain in receipts, which is offset by a corresponding gain in shipments and a reduction in stocks. The estimated port receipts for the day were 10,000, against 12,000 last year, and for the week 80,000, against 60,000 last year. The amount to be brought into sight is estimated at 115,000 bales. The closing of the stock exchange and the ceremonies attendant upon the opening of the new exchange detracted considerable from the cotton market in the latter portion of the day. There were some recessions in prices during the last hour, but the market closed with good net gains for the day. We still advise purchases on all good recessions.

Southern Exchange Cotton Letter.

New York, April 22.—The cotton market opened up from 2 to 5 points and good buying of near months by shorts and of July by the bull leaders sent prices higher, May selling 9 points above the opening. General trading was quite active, and there was a firm undertone on the belief that July was to get support from the bull element. The early advance was followed by a decline of some 5 points in near months, but this was regained During the morning prices were 5@13 points higher on heavy buying by shorts and the clique, the latter buying July quite freely. Scarcity of good grades was reported. Fair weather was forecasted for tomorrow. Cables closed firm at 5@6 points advance. The Manchester cloth market is moving slowly and yarns are quiet but steady.

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THE SPOT COTTON MARKETS IN DETAIL

MARKET.	Tone.	Middling.	Net Receipts.	Gross Receipts.	Sales.	Stock.	Exports to Gt. B't'n.	Coastwise.	Continent.	France.
Atlanta	Steady	12	....	....	....	8.298	....	....	....	....
Galveston	Steady	10	3.395	3.335	227	56.028	....	....	....	....
Norfolk	Dull	10 3-8	986	986	78	7.436	....	1.801	....	....
Baltimore	Nominal	10 3-8	....	116	....	4.053	....	....	....	....
Boston	Quiet	10.35	340	2.235	....	....	....	....	....	....
Wilmington	Firm	9 1-2	32	32	....	5.349	....	....	....	....
Philadelphia	Steady	10.70	....	897	....	3.026	897	....	....	....
Savannah	Quiet	9 3-4	2.323	2.323	490	48.850	....	....	....	....
New Orleans	Firm	10	333	333	3.550	159.090	....	4.500	....	....
Mobile	Quiet	9 7-8	18	18	50	6.364	....	3	....	....
Memphis	Steady	9 7-8	1.668	2.297	1.200	35.191	....	....	....	....
Augusta	Steady	10 1-2	703	703	134	11.250	....	....	....	....
Charleston	Firm	9 3-4	5	5	....	4.203	....	50	....	....
Cincinnati	Quiet	10 1-8	37	37	....	11.926	....	....	....	....
Louisville	Firm	10 1-8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
St. Louis	Steady	10	265	1.135	223	19.002	....	....	....	....
Houston	Steady	10	3.933	3.933	362	24.358	....	....	....	....
New York	Quiet	10.45	51	5.437	....	61.737	1.736	....	....	....

Total receipts today, 10.604. Exports to Great Britain today, 2,756. Stock, 364,338.
Consolidated receipts 4 days, 66,451. Exports to Great Britain 4 days, 14,880; to continent, 9,558.
Total receipts since Sept. 1, 7,279,468. Exports to Great Britain since Sept. 1, 2,585,252; to France, 726,700; to continent, 2,691,197.

Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, April 22.—Heavy buying in Liverpool, reported to come from the recent sellers here, started a reaction in that market, which was unexpected, though due after the recent decline. Liverpool sent many buying orders here, absorbing the realizing sales, but not attracting any new speculation. The receipts have been too heavy at the interior towns, being nearly twice those of last season, and as yet no indication of any sharp falling off. Better advices were received from Manchester, and a better demand is expected, which leads local traders to look for higher quotations in Liverpool tomorrow. Insight estimates for the week range from 108,000 to 115,000 bales. Buying from New Orleans carried the market to its highest point. The reaction at the close was on long arbitrage selling, and thought to foreshadow buying in Liverpool tomorrow. Mays have been for sale all day. The spot market was quiet at 10 points advance.

Harris, Gates & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, April 22.—Early Liverpool cotton cables reported an advance of 3 to 4 points. Our market opened strong on general buying, but there was little offered for sale. The strength of the market was increased by the good showing made by Liverpool cables after the opening. The advance this afternoon was caused by the report that the screwmen's strike at New Orleans has been settled and that larger exports from that place will follow. Stop order buying was a feature of the afternoon session.

Atlanta Brokerage Co.'s Cotton Letter

New York, April 22.—Cotton futures in the local market today opened firm in tone with first prices at an advance of 1 to 4 points. There was a generally better ruling of sentiment following better English advices than had been looked for. The Manchester advices were more favorable in that they reflected a more promising outlook. The weather map had favorable factors, chief among which was the low temperatures reported in some sections of the southwest. Shorts were good buyers and covered on a liberal scale, while there was some evidence of renewed interest on the part of so-called bull syndicate. Prices rose appreciably as the day wore on. The movement, while still of fair proportions, promised to run under that of a year ago, the port receipts being figured at only 10,000 bales, against over 12,000 for the same day last year. The weekly movement, however, continued to show the ear marks of bearishness in that the port receipts were estimated at 80,000 bales, while the amount to be brought into sight was figured at 115,000 bales by conservative interests. The closing of the stock exchange and the ceremonies attendant upon the opening of the new exchange detracted considerably from the cotton pit in the latter part of the day. The feeling at the close of the market, however, was quite evenly balanced, and the indications seem to point to greater activity during the balance of the week.

Marked Influences.

Messrs. Ennis & Stoppani, in their market letter, give the following terse summary of market influences:

BEAR FACTORS.

Bug-a-boos.
Manipulation.
Strikes.
Fear.
Wall street—nervous dyspepsia.
Merger decision holds up combination plans

BULL FACTORS.

Healthy, vigorous condition of the people of the United States.
Large exports at good prices.
Immigration at rate of million per year; new population of a desirable class.
Growth of population and business.
Splendid condition of growing crops; poor condition of foreign crops and consequent prospective demand.
Good prices and wages increasing the general purchasing power and wide demand.
Railroad earnings showing increases from 8 to 15 per cent gross and 3 to 8 per cent net over the big increases in 1902. Increasing volume of business in sight.
The iron output of 20,000,000 tons; anthracite coal, 58,000,000 tons, and not enough to supply the demand.
Excellent comparative fiscal condition of railroad and industrial companies.
Railroads obliged to issue bonds to provide means to buy increased equipment in order to cary their greatly increased business.

Baxter & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, April 22.—Cotton opened 1@6 points higher under the influence of vigorous cables. The weather was favorable all over the south and there was no indication of rain anywhere with the prospects of showers in the northwest. The movement promised to be ful, but not excessive, and the feeling was rather more hopeful in the absence of prompt orders on the part of bears to back their views of immense amounts to be marketed. The weekly government report in detail was if anything more bullish than appeared by yesterday's unintelligible summary. It is natural that the market should show steadiness for some time, since it is certain that the crop is having a late start and the result must be that the summer movement of cotton may be on an unusually light scale, in which event there is no telling what kind of a squeeze may occur in July contracts.

toward noon. The weather conditions were favorable, fair weather prevailing throughout the south. The forecast for tomorrow is also for fair weather. Port receipts for today were not so large, being 10,604 against 12,630 last year. New Orleans expects tomorrow 3,700 to 4,500 bales against 5,266 last year, and Galveston 2,500 to 3,000 bales against 1,352 last year. Liverpool cables closed firm at 5@6 points advance.

Business Small with Tone Firm.

New York, April 22.—For the second time in its history the stock and petroleum exchange did business today without the big board to guide it. The volume of business was fairly large, exceeding over 120,000 shares. Much of the trading was for out-of-town account, many orders being executed for Boston and Philadelphia as well as for customers of the local stock exchange. The market was firm and active from the outset, Reading being the principal feature. Other strong and active stocks included Amalgamated Copper, St. Paul, Union Pacific, Baltimore and Ohio and Southern Pacific. There was considerable trading in the better known industrials, including Smelting, Leather, Colorado Fuel and Iron, Tennessee Coal and Pressed Steel Car. The strong tone was maintained throughout, notwithstanding considerable profit taking, and the closing was in most instances at the best.

The closing prices of the leading issues were as follows:

Amalgamated Copper	66⅝
American Sugar	127½
Atchison	83⅞
do. preferred	98
Baltimore and Ohio	94⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	67⅛
Canadian Pacific	132⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio	46¼
Chicago Great Western	23⅞
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul	163⅞
Colorado Fuel	64
Colorado Southern	25½
Consolidated Gas	212
Denver and Rio Grande	36⅝
Erie	34⅞
Illinois Central	138
Louisville and Nashville	119¼
Manhattan	141
Metropolitan Street Railway	132½
Mexican Central	27
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	26⅝
do. preferred	56⅝
Missouri Pacific	110⅝
New York Central	133⅛
New York, Ontario and Western	30⅛
Norfolk and Western	77⅛
North American	100⅝
Pennsylvania	137⅞
People's Gas of Chicago	103⅞
Reading	55⅛
Republic Steel	20
Rock Island	44⅞
St. Louis Southwestern preferred	57
Southern Pacific	59
Southern Railway	31⅞
Tennessee Coal and Iron	66⅞
Texas Pacific	93⅛
United States Leather	14¼
United States Steel	36¼
do. preferred	87⅛
Wabash	28⅞
do. preferred	49⅞
Western Union	85¾
Wisconsin Central	25
do. preferred	46⅞

Total sales 120,950 shares.

Coffee and Sugar.

New York, April 22.—Coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices under featureless foreign advices, but turned easier on the large interior receipts and the closing weakness in Havre, with April selling at 3.75, touching a new low level, the previous record having been 3.80; closed steady net unchanged to 5 points lower; April 3.75; May 3.75@3.80; September 4.20@4.25; October 4.30; November 4.35@4.40; December 4.70; January 4.75. Coffee: Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5 3-16; mild firm. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3 3-16. Refined firm.

New Orleans, April 22.—Sugar dull; open kettle 2 5-8@3 3-8; open kettle centrifugal 3 1-8@3 5-8; centrifugal whites 4 1-4; yellows 3 5-8@4 1-16; seconds 2 1-8@3 5-16. Molasses, open kettle nominal at 13@26; centrifugal 6@18. Sirup nominal at 19@24. Coffee, Rio, ordinary to fair 6@7 1-4. Rice, screenings 2 3-4@3 1-2; head 4 5-8@5; fancy head 5 1-2@6.

The Way Clear for a Spring Advance

New York Financial News: With the appeal of the Northern Securities Company and the decision of Judge Sanborn, that acting as a stay, the dividends by the constituent companies and the Northern Securities Company may be paid as heretofore.

The way seems to be clear for a spring advance.

The lower plane of values, the considerable short interest and a bear party, grown confident with success, form in themselves a substantial foundation from which to start such a movement.

Other conditions have been gradually crystallizing in the same direction.

The money market has turned easier, and rates, both time and on call, are easier at lower an dreasonable figures.

The outward movement of cotton and grain is releasing money locked up in carrying these products.

The season is one that relieves the market from the government's heavy customs drain, and the refunding operations are progressing satisfactorily and releasing further sums to the money market.

The barometer of prosperity, the growth of our export balances, has again turned favorable, and the larger excess of exports over last year's has for the past two months been such as to give reason for hope that the corner has been turned for good, and that we shall have no more declines to record.

The government report of April 1 on the winter wheat outlook, which has been corroborated by several state reports since published, gives promise of the largest crop ever grown in the country.

The statement of several experienced business men, whose judgment can be relied upon and who have made extended trips in the southern and western states, is to the effect that prosperity prevails everywhere they went to a remarkable degree, and, moreover, its continuance is projected far into the future.

Similar testimony comes from the railroad officials of the country and is confirmed as to the present by the large earnings reported.

Evidence heretofore wanting is to be found that the large interests in stocks, which remain with important banking interests is now favorable to an advance in the market and will lend a helping hand in inaugurating and sustaining it.

The explanation of this is doubtlessly found in the lower and safer basis from which to inaugurate an advance and the all important fact that there is assured ease of money abroad for a period sufficiently long to admit of a bull movement of substantial proportions.

There may be still another potent factor, and that is that if the undigested securities are to be moved from their present lodging places, there must be such encouragement as only comes when money is easy and prices are advancing.

The period immediately ahead is the ideal period for a market upturn. Crops are at their best as to promise. Money is being received, not shipped; that locked up in the carrying of the great crops of the country has largely passed to the foreign buyers or the hands of the consumers.

The country is free from the disturbing influence of both national and state legislation.

The opening of the inland waterways stimulate business and commerce, and the natural instincts look with more optimistic eyes on conditions, present and future.

We shall be surprised if we are not to witness during the next ten weeks an upward turn of moment.

Conditions favor it and unless the views of important banking interests are much misrepresented, they anticipate and are already giving it their active cooperation.

The Metal Market.

New York, April 22.—The London tin market was 1s lower on spot and 7s 6d on futures, the former closing there at £136 10s and the latter at £135 17s 6d. Tin was also lower in New York, closing at 29.50@29.70.

Copper lost 12s for spot and 15s for futures in the London market, closing there with both positions quoted at £61 7s 6d. In the local market copper continued quiet and nominally unchanged. Lake and electrolytic are quoted at 15.00@15.25 and casting at 14.50@14.75.

Lead declined 2s 6d in London to £12 10s, but remained steady and unchanged locally at 4.67 1-2.

Spelter, remaining unchanged at £12 15s in London, was firmer here, advancing 5 points to 5.70.

Iron advanced 3d in Glasgow, closing at 53s 3d and 4 1-2d in Middlesboro, where it closed at 48s 4 1-2d. Locally iron is quiet; No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $22.25 to $22.75; No. 2 foundry, northern, $20.75@21.25; No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern soft, $21.50@22.00.

St. Louis, April 22.—Lead dull at $4.50. Spelter firm at $5.40.

Trading Active on Consolidated Exchange.

New York, April 22.—Trading on the consolidated exchange was active today and the majority of shares traded in showed a firm tone. Up to 1:45 o'clock it was estimated 100,000 shares of various stocks had changed hands. Prices for some of the market leaders were quoted as follows:

Union Pacific 93 3-8, 3-8 above last night.
St. Paul 64, ½ higher than last night.
Rock Island 44 7-8, 3-8 over last night.
Erie 34 7-8, ¼ over last night.
Reading 55 1-8, 3-4 higher than last night.

Money and Exchange.

New York, April 22.—Money on call nominal. Prime mercantile paper 5@5½ per cent.

Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87.125@4.87.25 for demand and at $4.84@4.84.125 for 60 days; posted rates $4.84½@4.85 and $4.88; commercial bills $4.83¼@4.83 3-4.

Bar silver 50 3-4c.
Mexican dollars 39½c.

The Treasury Statement.

Washington, April 22.—Today's treasury balances, exclusive of the gold reserve, show: Available cash balances, $222,533,943; gold, $113,880,843.

Foreign Finances.

London, April 22.—Consols for money 91 11-16d; for account 91 3-4. Atchison 85 1-4; Atchison preferred 100 1-4; Illinois Central 141 1-2; Louisville and Nashville 121 1-2.

Money 3 1-4@3 1-2 per cent.

Short bills 3 3-8@3 7-16 per cent; three months bills 3 7-16@3 1-2 per cent.

Gold premium at Beunos Ayres 127.27.

Paris, April 22.—Three per cent rentes 98 francs 55 centimes for account.

Berlin, April 22.—Exchange on London 20 marks 50 1-2 pfennigs for checks. Short bills 2 1-4 per cent; three months bills 2 3-4 per cent.

Dividends Declared.

New York, April 22.—The Pressed Steel Car Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on the common stock and the second quarterly installment of 1-4@1 per cent of the extra dividend of 1 per cent recently authorized.

The Northern Securities Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1-8 per cent, payable on May 4.

Baxter & Co.'s Stock Letter.

New York, April 22.—The stock market on the consolidated exchange has been active all day. Prices have been strong. Best prices of the day have occurred during the afternoon, and the level is slightly below the highest. Reading has been by far the most active, selling to 55 1-8, an advance of 3-4. Union Pacific holds its gain of ¼ and St. Paul ½. Chesapeake and Ohio sold up 3-8. Amalgamated Copper advanced 5-8 this afternoon. The day's dealings amounted to about 200,000 shares.

Allen-Miles Co.'s Hide and Leather Letter.

Chicago, April 22.—Country hide market quiet, as dealers are talking 8 3-4c for buffs and heavy cows, and tanners are not making dis of 8½c for either. The Boston tanners are mostly supplied for some time on buffs at 8¾c, a good many of which are yet to be shipped. Packer hides firm on light native cows and closely sold up on branded cows. Packer February and March heavy hides are neglected. Six hundred November native steer hides sold at 12½c; 2,000 February-March heavy cows at 9½c, including some koshers; 2,000 March branded cows sold at 9c with koshers. Two packers offer March light native cows at 9 3-4c; three packers offer February and March native steer hides at 11¼c; and butt brands at 10 3-4c; also Colorados at 10½c. Tallow easy. London cables 1,200 packages offered at auction; 700 sold 6d decline.

The Liverpool Market.

Liverpool, April 22.—Wheat: Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter 6s 2d; No. 1 northern spring, no stock; No. 1 California 6s 9d; futures steady; May 6s 2 1-4d; July 6s 2 3-8d.

Corn—Spot American mixed new steady at 4s 5d; do. old quiet at 5s 3d; futures quiet; May 4s 5d; June 4s 3 3-8d; July 4s 2 1-8d.

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FOREIGN ADVICES BULLISH

May and July Closed 1-4 to 3-8c Up. May Corn 1-4c and July 1-2c Higher—Oats 1-2c Better, While Provisions Lower.

Chicago, April 22.—Although the grain pits were rather quiet today prices continued firm, May wheat closing 1-4@3-8c higher with July up the same. May corn was 1-4c better and July up 1-2c, while May oats were 1-2c higher. Provisions were easier, the July product closing from 5@7 1-2c to 17 1-2c lower.

There was only a fair volume of trade in wheat and the market lacked any features of special importance. Opening prices on July were firm and a shade to 1-8@1-4c higher at 72 1-4@72 3-8c under the influence of comparatively steady cables, the Liverpool market showing only a slight decline in the face of the severe break here yesterday. May opened unchanged to 1-4c lower at 77 5-8@77 7-8c and there was little doing in that month early in the day, traders apparently being afraid to venture either way on this delivery. The market was supported throughout the day by the leading long, and shorts were also good buyers, the latter acting under the belief that a deal is on in May. With higher prices at St. Louis and New York, the market strengthened and the demand gradually enlarged. Bullish foreign advices added to the strength the latter part of the session, the German official crop report showing a condition a little better than had been expected, and May sold up to 78 1-2 with July up to 73. There was a slight reaction just before the close and final figures on May were 1-4@3-8c higher at 78 1-8@78 1-4c and July 1-4@3-8c higher at 72 1-2c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 169,000 bushels. Primary receipts 301,000 bushels, against 203,000 a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 84 cars, with local receipts of 35, five contract, made total receipts for the three points 119 cars, against 138 last week and 135 a year ago.

Corn ruled firm on a light trade, and in sympathy with the strength in wheat. There was buying of a local character and offerings were small. The crop news was of the sort calculated to make the sentiment bullish and the government report claiming slow progress having been made in planting throughout the corn belt. May closed 1-8c higher at 44 1-4c after selling between 44 1-8@44 1-2c, while July was up 1-2c at 44 7-8c after ranging between 44 3-8@45c. Local receipts 27 cars, two contract.

Small receipts and bull crop advices caused a good general demand for oats, and the trade was on a large scale, especially for the July delivery. Shorts were the best buyers, while commission houses sold. After selling between 34 5-8@35 1-8c, May closed 1-8c higher at 34 3-4c. July closed 1-2@5-8c higher at 31 5-8@31 3-4c. Local receipts, 60 cars.

General liquidation by pit traders caused weakness in provisions, but trading on the whole was not large. The buying of brokers on the decline steadied the market. July pork closed 17 1-2c lower at $17.42 1-2; July lard was off 10@12 1-2c at $9.72 1-2, and ribs were off 5@7 1-2c at $9.72 1-2@9.75.

Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat 20 cars; corn 50 cars; oats 100 cars; hogs 25,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	77⅞	78½	77⅞	78¼
July	72⅜	73	72¼	72½
September	69	69¼	69	69¼
CORN—				
May	44⅛	44½	44⅛	44¼
July	44½	45	44⅜	44⅞
September	44	44¼	43⅞	44⅛
OATS—				
May	34⅝	35⅛	34⅝	34¾
July	31⅝	32⅛	31⅜	31¾
September	28⅝	29⅛	28⅝	28⅞
MESS PORK—				
May	18.00	18.02½	17.90	18.00
July	17.55	17.60	17.37½	17.42½
September	17.20	17.20	17.02½	17.12½
LARD—				
May	9.85	9.85	9.77½	9.80
July	9.77½	9.80	9.72½	9.72½
September	9.77½	9.80	9.72½	9.72½
SHORT RIBS—				
May	9.90	9.90	9.87½	9.87½
July	9.77½	9.80	9.70	9.75
September	9.70	9.70	9.62½	9.65

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	32,100	10,700
Wheat, bushels	61,400	43,200
Corn, bushels	64,000	197,500
Oats, bushels	255,200	157,900
Rye, bushels	30,400	2,000
Barley, bushels	62,600	16,600

Baxter & Co.'s Grain Letter.

Chicago, April 22.—Wheat was very quiet this morning, and a little irregular, improving toward mid-day, with reports of less favorable German crops. The advance was in May largely, and there was considerable nervousness in that delivery, prices moving rapidly on small transactions. Here, there was a good deal of uneasiness over the manipulation in May, while there has recently been a large cash business, about 1,000,000 bushels at that point for eastern shipment. Weather was more spring like abroad, and private cable reports, aaside from the German statement, were rather contradictory.

Corn was moderately active and stronger, and oats were also quite strong, both being influenced by the backward weather for spring work and delayed planting, and oats particularly, by reports of decreased acreage.

Provisions were moderately active and about steady.

Coffee Makes New Low Record.

New York, April 22.—Another new low record in coffee prices was established today when April sold at 3.75 against 3.80, the previous low point. Speculation was only moderately active and the market devoid of sensational features.

Cotton Seed Oil and Meal.

New York, April 22.—Cotton seed oil was quiet and a shade easier, with increased offerings. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 34@35 1-2c; prime summer yellow 44@44 1-2c; off summer yellow 38@38 1-2c; prime white 47c; prime winter yellow 47c. Prime meal $27@27.50, nominal.

Memphis, April 22.—Cotton seed oil: Car lots, per gallon, prime crude 36 1-2c; off crude 26@34c; prime summer yellow 40c; off summer yellow nominal; choice cooking summer yellow, less than car load lots, 45c. Meal: Prime $20@20.25. Cake: Prime $20.

New Orleans, April 22.—Cotton seed oil: Prime refined in barrels 41c; off refined in barrels 36 1-2c; prime crude 35 1-2c.

Florida Fruits and Vegetables.

Atlanta, April 22.—Strawberries, 10 to 12 1-2c per quart; tomatoes $2.50@3.25 per crate; peppers $1.50@2 per crate; egg plants $1.75 per crate; lettuce $1.00 to $1.25 per crate; beans $1.75 to $2.00 per crate; peas $1.50 to $1.75 per crate; celery $2.30 to $3.00 per crate; beets $2.75 to $3.00.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—By virtue of an order of the Court of Ordinary of said County granted at the April term, 1903, will be sold before the Court House door of said County, on the first Tuesday in May next, within the legal hours of sale, the following property of the Estate of Sarah A. Evans, deceased, to-wit: Residence, house and lot now known as No. 442 Peachtree street, Atlanta, Georgia, beginning 80 feet north from Pine street and thence extending on the west side of Peachtree street northward 70 feet, more or less, and then extending from said east front line westward 360 feet, more or less, to an alley, being part of land lot 50 in the 14th district of Fulton County, and a part of the lot conveyed by deed of Mrs. Mary F. Boyleston, recorded in Book 04, folio 43, Fulton County Records, Feb. 20, 1903, to which deed reference is here made. This property will be sold subject to a mortgage of $5,300 due June 1, 1904, with future accruing interest of 5½ per cent per annum, payable semi-annually.

2. One 12-room house and lot, now known as 62 Houston street, Atlanta, Georgia, lying on north side of said street, fronting south 64 feet, more or less, and extending northward 202 feet, more or less, bounded on the east by the Bruce lot and being a part of land lot 51 in the 14th district of Fulton County, as described in the deed of J. A. Sams, recorded in Book T3, p. 314., Sept. 11, 1890, Fulton County Records, to which deed reference is here made.

3. Certain undivided interests in real estate formerly belonging to Mrs. S. F. Avary, as follows: One-sixth undivided interest in the house and lots Nos. 107 and 109 on the east side of North Pryor street, city of Atlanta, in land lot 51, 14th district of Fulton county, beginning on the east side of said street, at the southern corner of the city lot formerly owned by John W. Murphy, and running southward on said street 56 feet to an alley, thence easterly at right angles 100 feet, thence north parallel with Pryor street 56 feet to the said Murphey lot, thence westward 100 feet to beginning point, together with the right to use an alley on the southern side of said lot for ingress and egress; the same being lately the residence of Mrs. S. F. Avary, deceased. Also one-sixth interest in wild land lot No. 173, sixth district of Fannin county, containing 160 acres. Also one-sixth interest in 160 acres in No. 3, Columbia county, Georgia, it being part of a tract of 324 acres granted to John Avary in 1798, lying on the Savannah river and adjoining lands of Avary, DuBose and formerly of Robert Toombs. Also the parlor and household furniture of said Sarah A. Evans, deceased. The above property is to be sold for the purpose of paying debts and distribution.

Terms of sale, one-third cash, balance one, two and three years' deferred equal payments, bearing 6 per cent per annum interest; but the purchaser may pay all cash.

CLEMENT A. EVANS,
Administrator of the Estate of Sarah A. Evans, Deceased.

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5:30 A. M.—NO. 13 DAILY. Solid vestibule train. Pullmans to Cincinnati.
5:30 A. M.—NO. 16 DAILY. Brunswick.
5:30 A. M.—NO. 28. DAILY to Columbus.
6:10 A. M.—NO. 35. DAILY. Pullmans to Birmingham and Kansas City; arrive Birmingham 11:45 a. m., Memphis 8:05 p. m., Kansas City 9:45 a. m.
7:50 A. M.—NO. 12 DAILY. Local to Charlotte, Danville and Richmond.
7:55 A. M.—NO. 7 DAILY. Chattanooga.
12:00 Noon.—NO. 38 DAILY. Washington and Southwestern Limited. Sleeping, library, observation and club cars through without change. Dining cars serve all meals en route. Ar. Washington 6:42 a. m.; New York 12:43 p. m.
12:05 Noon.—NO. 8 DAILY. Macon.
1:00 P. M.—NO. 40 DAILY. New York Express. Day coaches, sleeper between Atlanta and Washington and Charlotte to Richmond and Norfolk. Arrive Richmond 7 a. m., Norfolk 8:30 a. m.; Washington 9:45 a. m.
4:10 P. M.—NO. 30 DAILY. Fort Valley.
4:10 P. M.—NO. 10 DAILY. Macon.
4:15 P. M.—NO. 37. DAILY. Pullman sleeping car and day coaches to Memphis. B'ham 9:50 p. m., Memphis 4:15 a. m.
4:40 P. M.—NO. 22 DAILY. Columbus.
4:30 P. M.—NO. 18. DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY. "Air Line Belle." To Toccoa.
5:00 P. M.—NO. 15. DAILY. Sleeper to Cincinnati. Sleeper Chattanooga to Louisville. Ar. Chattanooga 9:50 p. m., Cincinnati 8:10 a. m., Louisville 10:35 a. m.
5:15 P. M.—NO. 25. DAILY. Makes all stops. Arrives Anniston 9:15 p. m.
10:45 P. M.—NO. 14. DAILY. Florida Limited. Through sleepers to Jacksonville and Tampa. Sleeper to Brunswick.
11:35 P. M.—NO. 97. NIGHT TRAIN TO BIRMINGHAM. Pullman sleeper and day coaches. Sleeper open 10:00 p. m. Arrives Birmingham 5:35 a. m. Passengers can remain in sleeper until 6:30 a. m.
12:00 Night.—NO. 36. DAILY. U. S. Fast Mail. Solid vestibuled train. Sleeping car to New York and Richmond. Coaches to Washington. Dining cars serve all meals en route. Arrives Washington 9 p. m. New York 6:23 a. m.

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Arrive From—		Depart To—	
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*Macon	11 20 am	*Savannah	7 50 am
*Savannah	4 15 pm	*Macon	4 05 pm
*Macon	7 45 pm	*Savannah	8 45 pm
Suburban Trains:		Suburban Trains:	
Jonesboro	6 15 am	Jonesboro	6 25 am
Jonesboro	8 15 pm	Jonesboro	12 20 pm
Jonesboro	2 15 pm	Jonesboro	3 45 pm
Jonesboro	5 40 pm	Jonesboro	6 10 pm
Sunday Only:		Sunday Only:	
Jonesboro	8 55 am	Hapeville	9 00am
Hapeville	10 45 am	Jonesboro	12 50 pm

WESTERN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD.

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
Nashville	7 30 am	*Nashville	8 22 am
Marietta	8 32 am	Marietta	12 10 pm
Nashville	11 45 am	Nashville	4 30 pm
Marietta	2 40 pm	Marietta	5 30 pm
Nashville	7 30 pm	*Nashville	8 30 pm

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Arrive From—		Depart To—	
LaGrange	8 20 am	*Montgomery	5 30 pm
*Selma	11 40 am	*Montgomery	1 05 pm
*Selma	12 50 pm	*Selma	4 20 pm
*Montgomery	8 00 pm	LaGrange	5 30 pm
*Selma	11 40 pm	*Montgomery	11 15 pm

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Arrive From—		Depart To—	
*Norfolk	5 15 am	*Washington	12 00 n'n
*Abbeville	5 35 am	*Abbeville	4 00 pm
*Washington	6 40 pm	*Norfolk	8 10 pm

GEORGIA RAILROAD.

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
*Augusta	5 00 am	*Augusta	7 55 am
Conyers	6 45 am	Lithonia	10 05 am
Covington	7 45 am	*Augusta	3 35 pm
*Augusta	12 50 pm	Conyers	5 00 pm
Lithonia	3 25 pm	Covington	6 10 pm
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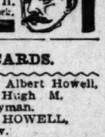
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YOUNG GREEN FINED $300

Strong Appeal for Youth Charged with Burglary—Total of Twenty-Three Cases Disposed of Yesterday—Interesting Announcement.

"So far as my authority extends, I make every effort to protect the policeman in the discharge of his duty."

This sentiment was expressed yesterday by Judge L. S. Roan, of the criminal superior court, as he sentenced John Shelton, a negro, to a term of seven years in the penitentiary for shooting at Call Officers James Doyal and S. T. Tibbs last Saturday night a week ago.

"The police do duty to protect the lives and property of the people as ministers of the law," continued the judge. "And the law should protect its ministers. These officers were in the discharge of their duty and the defendant here shot at them without provocation. For that reason, I will give him an extra heavy sentence of seven years in the penitentiary."

Shelton was found guilty of the charge of assault with intent to murder. The evidence showed that the two call officers had responded to a call for police assistance and had gone to Darktown, where they found a fight in progress between several negroes. The fighters ran and the officers gave chase. It is claimed that Shelton turned and fired several shots at the pursuers as he ran. He was captured, but the remainder of the crowd escaped.

Green Fined $300.

L. S. Green, the 18-year-old youth, who is charged with burglarizing the residence of Dr. Dunbar Roy, yesterday pleaded guilty and was fined $300 by Judge Roan. The court treated the case as a misdemeanor, owing to strong pressure brought to bear on him by a number of citizens, who intervened in behalf of the young man.

Dr. Roy was present in court and made a personal appeal for young Green, asking the judge not to sentence him to the penitentiary, but to give him a chance to reform. Rev. Albion W. Knight, the defendant's pastor, also plead for leniency on the part of the court.

In imposing the fine, Judge Roan made a touching talk to the young man, giving him valuable advice, and appealing to him to stick to the right and become a good and useful citizen.

"I may be criticised for my action in this case," said Judge Roan. "But if I can know that I have been the means of causing this young man to become a good man and a good citizen, I will accept the criticism. I hope that I may see him a strong factor for good."

The greatest amount of business transacted in any one day since Judge Roan has been on the bench was recorded yesterday. A total of twenty-three cases were disposed of during the session. Judge Roan and Solicitor Charlie Hill were kept busy feeding the legal mill, and felt relieved when the hour of adjournment arrived.

A Great Sensation.

There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind., when W. H. Brown, of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. He writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from Asthma but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure. Similar cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c. and $1.00. Guaranteed by all Druggists. Trial bottles free.

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A Wesley Memorial Building.

Editor Constitution: The caption of an editorial in a late number of The Wesleyan Christian Advocate is "The Proposal of a Great Thing." The "great thing" proposed by the editor in his ringing address to the preachers and people of Georgia Methodism, is the evolution of a great building in Atlanta like the one now being built by the British Methodists in London. The article states:

"It should contain, first of all, a great auditorium for preaching and Sunday-school purposes, and in which the largest religious assemblies and conventions could be comfortably gathered. Connected with this auditorium should be class rooms and reading rooms for night classes and for the entertainment and instruction of young men out of business hours. In it should be four offices, one for the pastor, one for the presiding elder of the Atlanta district, one for the resident bishop in Georgia, and one for the editor of The Wesleyan Christian Advocate. Besides all this there should be in it a Methodist hospital and free dispensary for the poor."

The Wesleyan proposition has been seconded by leading Methodists in Atlanta, Augusta, Athens, LaGrange and elsewhere in north and south Georgia. The editor calls it "a great thing." So it is. But none too great for Georgia Methodism to propose and perform. Now, is it a greater thing than the exigencies of the case demand? It is a reproach to Atlanta Methodists to say nothing of the rest of the state, that Atlanta has no Methodist hospital. All honor to the Presbyterians who already have a hospital bearing their name. The forwardness and liberality of the Catholics in this sort of work is well known to all. The great auditorium is needed, not only by Atlanta Methodists, but by all Atlanta. But not only as a hospital, dispensary and popular meeting place is this building needed, but as an evangelistic center for Atlanta Methodism, and also as a church for strangers.

It is proposed to call this building "The Wesley Memorial Building." The year 1903 is the bicentenary of the birth of John Wesley, "the greatest man of the eighteenth century." The erection of this building is not too great a thing for Georgia Methodists to do in honor of their great leader and founder. The movement is timely. The time to act is now. The popularity of the suggestion made by The Wesleyan was shown by commendatory letters from men like Drs. Landrum and White, of the Baptist church. Already several good voluntary subscriptions have been sent in, one of $500 from an Atlanta layman. Having put our hands to the plow, we can't afford to turn back. Georgia Methodism, the city of Atlanta, people of all denominations, and those who claim no church home will be the beneficiaries of this enterprise.

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CHURCHES TO BE MERGED

Three Denominations May Be Made Into One.

Pittsburg, April 22.—Forty-five delegates, representing the Congregational, Protestant Methodist and United Brethren churches, held a meeting in Pittsburg today to discuss the union of these denominations.

It is possible that a name, including all the denominations involved, will be chosen, provided a satisfactory conclusion is reached. The three denominations have a combined membership of over 1,000,000 souls.

HEARING IN STRIKE CASE

Commissioner Takes Testimony in Foote & Davies Suit Against Typographical Union.

A number of witnesses in the Foote & Davies injunction case against the Atlanta Typographical union were examined before Edward Crusselle, commissioner to take testimony, at his office in the Empire building yesterday afternoon.

Among the witnesses were officers of the union, union members and newspaper men. Foote & Davies were represented by Attorney C. H. Smith, and the union by Attorney C. T. Ladson. The testimony taken down will later be submitted to Judge Lumpkin.

The strike situation remains practically unchanged, though the union men contend that a number of the non-union printers who have been at work in offices where the strike is on are leaving their work and going away from Atlanta.

BUILT OVER.

Food That Rebuilt a Man's Body and Built It Right.

By food alone, with a knowledge of what food to use, disease can be warded off and health maintained, also many even chronic diseases can be cured. It is manifestly best and safest to depend upon food to cure rather than too much drugging.

A case in point will illustrate. A well known man of Reading, Pa., treasurer of a certain club there, says: "I have never written a testimonial letter but I have been using Grape-Nuts about a year and have recovered my health, and feel that I would like to write you about it for the case is extraordinary.

"For five years I was a sufferer from a dreadful condition of the bowels; the trouble was most obscure." Here follows a detailed description and the condition certainly was distressing enough (details can be given by mail).

"Nothing in the way of treatment of drugs benefited me in the least and an operation was seriously considered. In May, 1901, I commenced using Grape-Nuts as a food and with no idea that it would in any way help my condition. In two or three weeks time I noticed an improvement and there was a steady gain from that time on until now I am practically well. I don't know how to explain the healing value of the food but for some reason, although it has taken nearly a year, I have recovered my health and the change is entirely attributable to Grape-Nuts food, for I long ago quit medicine. I eat only Grape-Nuts for breakfast and luncheon, but at my night dinner I have an assorted meal." Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

GALLOWS READY AND GRAVE DUG

Respite Came to Munroe Adams Just in Time To Save Him.

On a telephone message from Americus yesterday Governor Terrell decided to grant a respite to Monroe Adams, who was to have been hanged yesterday at noon.

The respite reached the sheriff of Sumter county by wire just in the nick of time. Adams' grave had been dug and the coffin was ready to receive his body when it should have been cut down from the rope's end.

Adams was under sentence of death for the murder of his wife and daughter, and it is said the crime was quite a brutal one. The supreme court refused to grant a new trial after it had been refused in the lower court.

The telephone message came from J. R. Williams, attorney for Adams, just after the governor had reached his office yesterday morning. Mr. Williams, it appears, had been under the impression that the execution was to take place Friday instead of Wednesday. He stated that he had an application for clemency in Adams' behalf which had never been brought to the attention of the prison commission, and he asked for time to take the matter up. He stated that the application had some merit in it, and was not brought in any sense for the purpose of gaining time.

Under these circumstances the governor granted a respite until May 15, which will give due time for a consideration of the matter by the prison commission.

HE SUES FOR $50,000 DAMAGES

Horace Cox Brings Suit for Defamation of Character.

Quitman, Ga., April 22.—(Special.)—One of the cases on docket for the May term of the superior court, which will convene in a few days, is the suit of Horace Cox versus J. B. Strickland and others for damages in the sum of $50,000 for defamation of character. The prosecution claims that Strickland and about a hundred others, who are made parties to the suit, promulgated a set of resolutions reflecting on his character and caused them to be published in The Valdosta Times, which is also made a party to the suit. By these allegations, which he says are untrue, he claims to be damaged to the amount named. The resolutions are said to have been drawn in 1894 and were signed by some of the most prominent men in Clinch county, one of them being state senator at the time. The attorneys for the plaintiff are Hon. C. M. Hitch, of Atlanta; Hitch & Moyers, S. F. Burkhalter and S. S. Bennet, and those for the defense are W. S. Humphreys, Denmark & Ashley and Congressman Brantley.

With such legal talent on both sides the trial is looked forward to with much interest here as well as in Lowndes and Clinch counties.

Editor Shanklin Very Ill.

Evansville, Ind., April 22.—John Gilbert Shanklin, who was, for many years, editor of The Courier, formerly a member of the democratic national committee and one of the most prominent politicians in the state, is critically ill.

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Atlanta Brokerage Co.'s Grain Letter

Chicago, April 22.—The fluctuations in the July option of wheat reflected bull sentiment. The cables from the English market were relatively strong and served as an influence in favor of the bulls. Small receipts were also a feature, and the primary market movement indicated an appreciable excess of shipments over receipts. The clearances, however, continued small. The cash and export demand was rather slow, and the seaboard confirmations were without feature. The domestic crop news was quite favorable, though European advices were inclined to be a little bullish. The Armour operations today were rather difficult to follow, but it was generally agreed in well informed circles that this element is in control of the situation. As to whether or not the Armour element is disposed to reduce its holdings of long wheat at this time, there was considerable difference of opinion. The advices from the Northwest were conflicting. Some of the flour mills were reported to have resumed operations but there were evidences of increasing stocks at Minneapolis and Duluth. The country offerings were of fair size and the indications pointed to a larger movement. The weather map was rather mixed with low temperatures in the southwest a distinct feature. At the close the feeling among pit traders was rather mixed.

The crop reports in the corn pit were less generally bearish today and receipts were abnormally small. Cables were steady, and consequently shorts were inclined to reduce their commitments. There were rather small offerings, though on the bulges certain longs were inclined to take profits. Corn coming out in this fashion, however, was quite readily taken. The country offerings were of good size, but the indications pointed to continued light receipts. The primary market movement continued to show a material excess of shipments over receipts, and the clearances were more liberal. There was a fair cash demand, though exporters were disposed to lay low, and seaboard operations were on a small scale. The late market was dull and featureless, with professionals doing the bulk of the business.

Oats followed the other cereals sympathetically. Scalpers were fair buyers, and shorts covered quite freely at intervals. The receipts were small and crop reports had a rather bullish strain. It was pointed out that conditions were unfavorable for seeding in many localities. The clearances were light, and cash and export business did not amount to very much.

The market for provisions was quiet and steady. There was a fair demand from packers despite the lower hog prices, but outsiders were disposed to sell moderately on the rallies. The cash business was slow, and the outward movement of products was light. Bearish reports were still current regarding the April movement of hogs.

The Live Stock Market.

Chicago, April 22.—Cattle—Receipts 20,000. Market steady to weak; good to prime steers $5.10@6.50; poor to medium $4.25@5; stockers and feeders $3@4.90; cows $1.50@4.50; heifers $2.50@5; canners $1.50@2.75; bulls $2.50@4.30; calves $2.50@6; Texas fed steers $4@5.

Hogs—Receipts today 30,000; tomorrow 25,000; left over 4,000. Market 5@10c lower; mixed and butchers $7@7.30; good to choice heavy $7.30@7.50; rough heavy $7.10@7.30; light $6.75@7.15; bulk $7.10@7.30.

Sheep—Receipts 13,000; sheep and lambs weak to 10c lower; good to choice wethers $4.50@5.40; fair to choice mixed $3.75@4.40; western sheep $4.50@5.40; native lambs $4.50@6.50; western lambs $4.50@7.50; wooled.

Official receipts yesterday: Cattle 7,067; hogs 16,504; sheep 14,615. Shipments: Cattle 2,454; hogs 712; sheep 1,410.

Kansas City, April 22.—Cattle—Receipts 4,650 natives and 350 Texans; calves 100, mostly natives. Beef steady; quarantine strong; cows and heifers steady; stockers and feeders steady to weak; choice export and dressed beef steers $4.65@5.25; fair to good $3.50@4.6; stockers and feeders $3.05@4.95; western fed steers $2.90@5.05; Texas $3@4.50; Texas cows $2.50@4; native cows $2@4.50; native heifers $2.90@4.90; canners $1.50@2.65; bulls $2.40@4; calves $2.75@7.

Hogs—Receipts 8,500. Market active but 5c lower; top $7.20; bulk of sales $7.05@7.12½; heavy $7.05@7.20; mixed packers $7@7.10; light $6.90@7; yorkers $6.97½@7; pigs $6.50@6.85.

Sheep—Receipts 4,000. Market active and steady; native lambs $4.50@7.75; western lambs $4@7.60; fed ewes $4@5.40; native wethers $4.30@6.40; Texas clipped sheep $4.20@6.25; stockers and feeders $3.10@4.30.

St. Louis, April 22.—Cattle—Receipts 2,500, including 1,000 Texans. Market steady and slow; native shipping and export steers $4.50@5.40; dressed beef and butcher steers $4@5.25; steers under 1,000 pounds $3.50@5; stockers and feeders $3@4.80; cows and heifers $2.25@4.80; canners $2.25@3; bulls $2.50@3.85; calves $3.50@7; Texas and Indian steers $3@4.75; cows and heifers $2.60@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts 700. Market 5@10c lower; pigs and lights $6.90@7.10; packers $7@7.25; butchers and best heavy $7.10@7.25.

Sheep—Receipts 3,000. Market slow and steady to weak; naalve muttons $4.50@6; lambs $5@7.50; culls and bucks $2@5; stockers $2.25@4; Texans $4@5.25.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

Atlanta, April 22.—Flour: Diamond patent, $5; second patent, $4.30; straight, $3.80; extra fancy, $3.60; fancy, $3.30. First patent spring wheat, $4.75. Corn, choice white, 66c; No. 2 white, 65c; No. 2 mixed 65c. Oats, white clipped 52c; No. 2 white 50c; No. 2 mixed 49c. Bran, $1.15. Brown shorts, $1.20; white shorts, $1.40. Victor feed, $1.25 per 100 pounds. Quaker feed, $1.25. Choice large bale, $1.20; No. 1 small, $1.15; No. 2 small, $1.10. Plain corn meal, 65c; bolted, 69c. Cotton seed meal, $1.25 per 100 pounds. Hudnut's grits, $1.60.

Cincinnati, April 22.—Flour quiet. Wheat active; No. 2 red 75@76. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed 44. Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed 33 1-2@34 1-2.

Chicago, April 22.—Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm. No. 2 spring wheat 79@80; No. 3 75 1-2; No. 2 red 77@78. No. 2 corn 44; No. 2 yellow 44. No. 2 oats 34 5-8; No. 3 white 33@37 3-4. No. 2 rye 50 1-4.

St. Louis, April 22.—Flour steady. Wheat higher; No. 2 red cash and elevator 67; track 72 3-4@73¼; May 71 1-8@72; July 66 7-8; No. 2 hard 72@74. Corn higher; No. 2 cash 40¼, nominal; track 40 3-4@41¼; May 40¾; July 40 5-8. Oats firm; No. 2 cash 33, nominal; track 33@33 3-4; May 33¼, nominal; July 30; No. 2 white 37½.

New York, April 22.—Flour neglected. Rye flour steady; corn meal steady; rye dull; No. 2 western 59 3-4. Barley steady. Wheat firm; No. 2 red 82 5-8; options had a firm opening and subsequently further advanced on covering of May here, together with small northwest receipts and bad German crop news. The late market was exceedingly dull, but closed steady on export business at ¼@3-8c net advance; May 81 5-8; July 75 15-16; September 74¼. Corn, spot quiet; No. 2 55; options quiet but firmer on cold weather in Iowa; light receipts; fair clearances; room covering and the wheat upturn; closed ¼@½c net higher; May 53½; July 51¼; September 50. Oats, spot quiet; No. 2 33; options quiet here, but firm west on good commission house buying; May 40½.

Provisions.

Atlanta, Ga., April 22.—Clear ribs sides boxed 10 1-4; half ribs 10 1-4; bellies 10.60 to 10.40. Sugar cured hams 15c; California hams 10 1-2. Lard 10 1-2c; compound 8c.

Chicago, April 22.—Mess pork $17.50@17.62 1-2. Lard $9.75@9.80. Short ribs sides, loose, $9.80@9.95; dry salted shoulders, boxed, $8.37 1-2@8.50; short clear sides, boxed, $10.12 1-2@10.25.

Cincinnati, April 22.—Lard quiet at $9.50. Bulk meats steady at $10.00. Bacon steady at $11.25.

St. Louis, April 22.—Pork lower; jobbing, standard mess, $18.10. Lard lower at 9.50. Dry salt meats steady; boxed extra shorts 9.87½; clear ribs 10.12½; short clear 10.25. Bacon steady; boxed extra shorts 10.87½; clear ribs 11.12½; short clear 11.25.

New York, April 22.—Lard dull; refined steady. Pork steady.

Groceries.

Atlanta, Ga., April 22.—Coffee, per 100 pounds, Arbuckle's $10.30; Lion $9.80. Cordova, $10.05; Blue Ribbon, 9 1-2; green coffee, choice, 10c; fair 8c; prime 6c. Sugar, standard granulated, 5 1-8c. Sirup, New Orleans open kettle, $3.00@4.65; mixed, choice 20@28c; south Georgia cane, 35c. Salt, dairy sacks, $1.30@1.40; barrel, bulk, $2.50; ice cream, $1.25; common, 50@60c. Cheese, fancy, full cream, twins 15c; singles, 15c. Matches, 15, 45 3-4@55; 200s, $1.50@1.75. Soda, Arm and Hammer, $1.75. Crackers, soda, 6c; cream, 7c; ginger snaps, 6 1-4c. Pie peaches, $1.75; table peaches $2.75@2.00. Canned tomatoes, $1. Canned corn 1.80@1.90. Best mince meat 10c lb.; choice, 7c lb. Oysters, F. W. $1.75; L. W., $1.20. Fancy head rice 7c; head rice 6c. White fish, 60-lb keg, $2.75; white fish, 100-lb kegs $4.40, mullet fish 80-lb kegs, $4.50; macaroni, 7c lb.; pork sausage 8 1-2c lb. Bologna sausage 7c. Sardines, oil, case $3.75; sardines, mustard, $3.50; salmon, case, $3.50@6.50. Jellies, 30-lb pails, 4c lb. Pepper sauce, dozen, 60c; Worcester, dozen, 35c; catsup, pints, dozen, 65c; mustard, dozen, 90c; krout, 15-gallon kegs, $2.75. Pickles, 15-gallon 600s, $5.50.

Country Produce.

Atlanta, April 22.—Eggs, fresh 15 to 16c; storage stock, 12@13c dozen. Country smoked bacon, 11@12 1-2c; hams, 13@15c. Butter, Georgia fresh table, 18 to 20c; Tennessee table 18 to 20c; Jersey 20@22 1-2c. Live poultry, hens, 35@37 1-2c; fries, large, 25@27 1-2c; spring broilers 30 to 40c; medium 16@18c; small 14@16c. Ducks, puddle, 25c; Pekin 30c. Live turkeys 15 to 16c. Dressed poultry, hens, 12 1-2@13 1-2c per lb.; fries 15c lb.; cocks 8@10c lb.; turkeys 18@19 lb. Onions 75 to 85c bu. Cabbage, New York Danish 1 1-2 to 1 3-4; Florida, green, 1 1-2@2c. Irish potatoes, northern, 80@85c bu.; Tennessee and Virginia 70@75c per bu. Sweet potatoes 65@70c bu. Peas, white, $1.25@... bu.; do. hay, $1.75@2.00; stock $1.00@1.25. Dried fruit, Georgia apples 5c lb.; do. peaches 4@5c; do. peeled 10@12 1-2c. California dried peaches 7c lb. Butter beans 6@6 1-2c. Turnips, rutabaga, 1-2c lb. Beeswax, 22 1-2c to 25c lb. Honey in comb, 8@10c lb.; in frames, 10@12c lb.; strained, 6@7c lb.

Fruits and Confections.

Atlanta, Ga., April 22.—Apples: Fancy $3.75 to 4.00; choice $2.50 to $3.00. Oranges: Florida, 126 to 216 to the box, $4.50@5 box, California oranges, navals $3 to $3.25. Buds $2@2.50. Tangerines $4@6. Grape fruit $6 to $8 a box. Lemons fancy $3.25 to $3.50; choice $2.75@3. Malaga grapes $6@7 per keg. Bananas, per bunch, culls, $1@1.25; straights $1.50@1.75. Nuts: Walnuts, No. 1 12 1-2; No. 2, 10 1-2; almonds 13; pecan 9 1-2 to 10; Brazil 12@13; mixed nuts 12 1-2c. Peanuts, Virginia, 4 1-2 to 6c; Georgia, 4c. Cocoanuts, per 100, $2.75. Pineapples $2@3.50 crate. Dates, 50-lb. boxes, 6@6 1-2c; packages, 7 1-2c lb. Figs 12 1-2@14c. Citron 15c. Raisins xx $1.65 per box; xxx $1.55 per box. Prunes small 5@6; large 6@7 1-2. Candy, common stick 6c lb; mixed 6 1-2c.

Naval Stores.

Savannah, April 22.—Turpentine steady at 47 bid; receipts 1,153; sales 160; exports 50. Rosin steady; receipts 1,880; sales none; exports 2,249. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, $1.95; F, $2; G, $2.05; H, $2.25; I, $2.85; K, $3; M, $3.10; N, $3.15; window glass $3.25; water white $3.40.

Charleston, April 22.—Turpentine nominal at 47; sales none. Rosin nominal; A, B, C, D, $1.85; F, $1.90; G, $1.95; H, $2.15; I, $2.75; K, $2.90; M, $3; N, $3.05; window glass $3.15; water white $3.30.

Wilmington, April 22.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; receipts 24 casks; Rosin firm at $1.90; receipts 128. Crude turpentine firm at $2@2.50 and $3.75, receipts 19. Tar firm at $1.65; receipts 94.

Special Notices.

MEETING NOTICE.

A regular communication of Atlanta lodge No. 59, F. and A. M. will be held in Masonic hall, corner of Mitchell and Forsyth streets, at 7:30 o'clock sharp this (Thursday) evening. The entered apprentice degree will be conferred. Brethren of good standing are fraternally invited.
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THE WEATHER.

Washington, April 22.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

Georgia and South Carolina: Fair Thursday; Friday fair, warmer; light to fresh north winds.

Virginia—Partly cloudy Thursday; Friday, fair, warmer; light to north to east winds.

North Carolina—Fair in west, clear in east portion Thursday; Friday warmer, light to fresh north to east winds.

Highest temperature 68
Lowest temperature 46
Mean temperature 57
Normal temperature 62
Precipitation for past 24 hours ..... .00
Excess since 1st of month ..... .22
Excess since January 1 ..... 1.32

From Various Stations.

Stations and State of Weather.	Temperature 7 p. m.	Highest Temperature.	Rainfall 12 hours ending 8 p. m.
Atlanta, cloudy	51	56	.00
Abilene, pt. cloudy	58	66	.00
Augusta, clear	70	74	.00
Buffalo, cloudy	40	42	.72
Charleston, clear	64	74	.00
Charlotte, rain	46	66	.01
Chattanooga, pt. cloudy	50	56	.00
Chicago, clear	38	40	.72
Cincinnati, cloudy	42	46	.72
Corpus Christi, clear	74	78	.00
Detroit, cloudy	40	42	.00
Dodge City, cloudy	64	70	.00
Galveston, clear	70	76	.00
Huron, clear	62	68	.00
Jacksonville, clear	70	76	.00
Kansas City, clear	58	60	.00
Knoxville, cloudy	44	48	.72
Memphis, clear	58	60	.00
Mobile, clear	64	72	.00
Montgomery, clear	56	64	.00
New Orleans, clear	68	74	.00
New York, cloudy	52	52	.00
Norfolk, cloudy	56	56	.00
North Platte, clear	58	72	.00
Omaha, clear	52	60	.00
Palestine, clear	70	76	.00
Raleigh, rain	48	64	.14
Rapid City, clear	70	72	.00
St. Louis, cloudy	52	54	.00
St. Paul, clear	58	60	.00
Savannah, clear	64	74	.00
Tampa, clear	66	74	.00
Vicksburg, clear	62	66	.00
Wilmington, pt. cloudy	54	66	.00

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